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| 1  | THURSDAY, MAY 6, 1999 9:50 O'CLOCK A.M.                                 |
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| 3  | I. CALL TO ORDER  |
| 4  | CHAIRMAN EATON: GOOD MORNING EVERYONE, IF I CAN HAVE YOUR               |
| 5  | ATTENTION? THANK YOU. WELCOME AND GOOD MORNING TO THE MAY 6TH           |
| 6  | CALIFORNIA INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT BOARD.                           |
| 7  | II. ROLL CALL AND DECLARATION OF QUORUM                                 |
| 8  | CHAIRMAN EATON: MADAM SECRETARY, WOULD YOU PLEASE CALL THE              |
| 9  | ROLL?   |
| 10 | THE SECRETARY: BOARD MEMBERS JONES?                                     |
| 11 | MEMBER JONES: HERE.   |
| 12 | THE SECRETARY: PENNINGTON?  |
| 13 | MEMBER PENNINGTON: PRESENT.   |
| 14 | THE SECRETARY: ROBERTI?   |
| 15 | MEMBER ROBERTI: HERE.   |
| 16 | THE SECRETARY: CHAIRMAN EATON?  |
| 17 | CHAIRMAN EATON: HERE.   |
| 18 | THE CHAIR NOTICES THE QUORUM, WE CAN DO BUSINESS.                       |
| 19 | III. OPENING REMARKS  |
| 20 | CHAIRMAN EATON: IN KEEPING WITH RECENT PRACTICES, I'M GOING             |
| 21 | TO IDENTIFY FOR THE RECORD A NUMBER OF EX PARTE COMMUNICATIONS WHICH I  |
| 22 | BELIEVE SOME OF MY FELLOW BOARD MEMBERS MAY HAVE ALREADY RECEIVED AS    |
| 23 | WELL. AND, THEREFORE, I WILL FOR THE RECORD IDENTIFY THEM AND,          |
| 24 | THEREFORE, ACCORDING TO OUR LEGAL COUNSEL, YOU NEED NOT PUT THEM ON THE |
| 25 | RECORD SINCE I HAVE. IF THERE ARE OTHERS THAT I HAVE NOT INCLUDED THAT  |

26 FOR ANY REASON YOU FEEL, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAW, SHOULD BE DISCLOSED

- 1 THEN I WILL GIVE YOU AN OPPORTUNITY TO DO SO AT THE COMPLETION OF MY
- 2 PRESENTATION.
- 3 LETTERS TO BE ORALLY INCLUDED FOR ME ARE ANN MARIE
- 4 HIASHI (PHON) FROM THE CITY OF WHITTIER REGARDING A CORRECTION OF BASE-
- 5 YEAR AMOUNTS FOR THE CITY OF WHITTIER.
- M. T. CILIO (PHON), CONTRACT STATUS ON THE CONTRACT
- 7 CONCEPT.
- 8 KEVIN METCALF ON THE WASTE TIRE PROGRAM.
- 9 JAMES KENNINGER (PHON) ON THE TIGAS (PHON) LANDFILL.
- 10 KELLY SMITH, COALITION ALTERNATIVES TO KIEFER
- 11 LANDFILL, ON TODAY'S AGENDA, THE KIEFER LANDFILL ITEM.
- 12 AND BILL IRWIN (PHON) FROM RANCHOS DOS AMIGOS
- 13 REGARDING THE RMDZ LOAN APPLICATION, WHICH IS ALSO ON TODAY'S AGENDA AS
- 14 WELL.
- 15 I WILL START WITH MY LEFT. AND, MR. PENNINGTON, IS
- 16 THERE ANY ADDITIONAL EX PARTES THAT YOU WOULD DESIRE TO DISCLOSE:
- 17 MEMBER PENNINGTON: YES, MR. CURTIS. I HAD A HONE CALL
- 18 FROM MR. DON BROWN CONCERNING ITEM A, THE 2136 PROGRAM.
- 19 CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY. THANK YOU.
- MR. JONES.
- 21 MEMBER JONES: MR. CURTIS, ALL THE ONES THAT YOU JUST DID.
- 22 AND I'M NOT SURE IF -- DID YOU INCLUDE THE LETTER FROM
- 23 THE FULLERS, FROM PARADISE RECYCLING ON --
- 24 CHAIRMAN EATON: I HAVE NOT GOTTEN THAT ONE YET.
- 25 MEMBER JONES: OKAY. THAT ONE JUST GOT HANDED TO ME, IT'S
- 26 ON THE LOS DOS AMIGOS LOANS.

## AUDI-X REPORTING

- 1 CHAIRMAN EATON: SENATOR ROBERTI?
- 2 MEMBER ROBERTI: I DON'T HAVE ANYTHING.
- 3 CHAIRMAN EATON: GREAT.
- 4 MEMBER JONES: SORRY ABOUT THAT. A QUICK DISCUSSION WITH
- 5 GEORGE LARSON (PHON) ON THE AMERICAN PLASTICS SCHOOL PROGRAM, THEY'RE
- 6 READY TO START GRADING APPLICATIONS FOR PEOPLE THAT USE RECYCLED PLASTIC
- 7 IN THE SCHOOLS, AND I'M ONE OF THE GRADERS.
- 8 AND HELLO TO LARRY SWEETSER AND A HELLO TO MARM LEARY
- 9 (PHON). THANKS.
- 10 CHAIRMAN EATON: FOR THOSE OF YOU IN THE AUDIENCE, AS WE
- 11 MOVE THROUGH TODAY'S AGENDA, THERE ARE SPEAKER SLIPS ON THE BACK TABLE.
- 12 IF YOU WISH TO ADDRESS THE BOARD ON ANY OF THESE ITEMS PLEASE FILL OUT
- 13 A SLIP AND IDENTIFY THE AGENDA ITEM OR ITEMS BY NUMBER, PLEASE, AND
- 14 BRING THEM UP FORWARD TO MS. DOMINGUEZ HERE ON MY LEFT, AND ON YOUR
- 15 RIGHT, AND SHE'LL MAKE SURE WE GET TO KNOW OF YOUR DESIRE TO SPEAK.
- 16 ALSO, AT THE END OF TODAY'S MEETING THERE'LL BE AN
- 17 OPPORTUNITY FOR JUST GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT.
- 18 IV. REPORTS AND PRESENTATIONS
- ORAL REPORTS FROM BOARD MEMBERS
- 20 CHAIRMAN EATON: WITH REGARD TO REPORTS AND PRESENTATIONS,
- 21 DO ANY OF THE BOARD MEMBERS HAVE ANY REPORTS OR ITEMS THAT THEY'D LIKE
- 22 TO BRING UP, OR COMMENT UPON AT THIS TIME?
- MR. PENNINGTON?
- 24 MEMBER PENNINGTON: NO, I DON'T HAVE ANYTHING. | THANK YOU.
- 25 CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY. MR. JONES? SENATOR ROBERTI? ALL
- 26 RIGHT, WE CAN MOVE.

- 1 ORAL REPORT FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AND EXECUTIVE STAFF
- 2 CHAIRMAN EATON: MR. CHANDLER INFORMS ME THAT HE WILL HAVE
- 3 AN ORAL REPORT FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AT NEXT MONTH'S MEETING,
- 4 THERE'S NOTHING THERE.
- 5 ORAL REPORT ON THE STATUS OF THE 21ST CENTURY POLICY DEVELOPMENT
- 6 PROCESS
- 7 CHAIRMAN EATON: NOTHING ON THE 21ST CENTURY.
- 8 III. OPENING REMARKS (RESUMED)
- 9 CHAIRMAN EATON: FOR PURPOSES OF TODAY'S AGENDA, ITEM NO.
- 10 16, AN UPDATE ON THE CURRENT YEAR EXPENDITURE TRENDS HAS BEEN PULLED.
- 11 THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR WILL BE BRIEFING EACH OF THE INDIVIDUAL OFFICES
- 12 WITH REGARD TO ACCOUNTS AND, THEREFORE, YOU'LL HAVE MUCH MORE OF THE
- 13 INFORMATION NECESSARY IN WHICH TO DISCUSS THE PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
- 14 ACTIVITIES ADN CONSULTING CONTRACTS.
- 15 TODAY'S AGENDA, ALSO WE HAVE A NUMBER OF ITEMS. I
- 16 WOULD JUST ASK THAT YOU CAN KIND OF KEEP TO THE POINT ON THESE ITEMS,
- 17 IT'S GOING TO BE A LONG DAY.
- 18 WE ALSO HAVE A PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULED AT TWO O'CLOCK
- 19 WHICH WAS CONTINUED FROM LAST WEEK'S MEETING, THAT IS A TIME CERTAIN AND
- 20 WE HAVE TO COMPLETE THAT. THAT IS ON A TIRE REVOCATION MATTER.
- 21 V. CONTINUED BUSINESS AGENDA ITEMS
- 22 CHAIRMAN EATON: TODAY WE HAVE FOUR CONTINUING BUSINESS
- 23 ITEMS WHICH WE WILL START WITH BEFORE MOVING INTO OUR REGULAR AGENDA, OR
- 24 OUR NEW BUSINESS AGENDA ITEMS.
- <del>25 VI. CONSENT AGENDA</del>
- 26 CHAIRMAN EATON: AND FOR PURPOSES OF THE CONSENT CALENDAR,

- 1 THERE ARE NO ITEMS ON CONSENT, THEREFORE, THERE NEED NOT BE ANY ITEMS
- 2 PULLED FROM CONSENT OR DISCUSSED.
- 3 <u>V. CONTINUED BUSINESS AGENDA ITEMS (RESUMED)</u>
- 4 AGENDA ITEM A: CONSIDERATION OF APPROVAL TO AWARD CONTRACTS FOR
- 5 CONSTRUCTION SERVICES TO SUPPORT THE SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL AND CODISPOSAL
- 6 SITE CLEANUP PROGRAM (AB 2136)
- 7 CHAIRMAN EATON: AND WE'LL MOVE RIGHT INTO OUR CONTINUING
- 8 BUSINESS AGENDA ITEMS, WHICH WOULD BE NUMBER A IN YOUR PACKET, MEMBERS,
- 9 CONSIDERATION OF APPROVAL TO AWARD CONTRACTS FOR CONSTRUCTION SERVICES
- 10 TO -- REGARDING THE 2136 PROGRAM.
- 11 MR. WALKER: GOOD MORNING CHAIRMAN EATON AND MEMBERS OF THE
- 12 BOARD, SCOTT WALKER, PERMITTING AND ENFORCEMENT DIVISION.
- 13 MINOR REVISIONS TO THIS ITEM HAVE BEEN MADE FROM THE
- 14 ORIGINAL BOARD PACKET, AND THE CORRECTED VERSION HAS BEEN GIVEN TO BOARD
- 15 MEMBERS, AND ADDITIONAL COPIES ARE AVAILABLE AT THE BACK TABLE.
- 16 THIS ITEM PRESENTS A CONTINUATION FROM MARCH, THE
- 17 CONSIDERATION OF APPROVAL TO AWARD CONTRACTS FOR CONSTRUCTION SERVICES
- 18 TO SUPPORT THE SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL AND CODISPOSAL SITE CLEANUP PROGRAM,
- 19 OR AB 2136 PROGRAM.
- 20 STAFF WAS DIRECTED TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
- 21 ON THE PROCESS USED FOR SELECTION OF CONTRACTORS ADN AWARD OF CONTRACTS.
- 22 THE REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS, OR RFQ PROCESS, WAS USED FOR CONTRACT
- 23 CLEARANCE.
- 24 TO BRIEFLY RECAP, CONSTRUCTION SERVICES CONTRACTS ARE
- <del>25 Utilized for the board managed remediation option for the A</del>b 2136 site
- 26 CLEANUP PROGRAM. THE BOARD APPROVED ALLOCATIONS IN JULY AND OCTOBER OF

- 1 1998 TO NEW CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS FROM THE FISCAL YEAR 1998-99
- 2 APPROPRIATION. THE TOTAL AMOUNT ALLOCATED TO NEW CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS
- 3 IS \$1,540,000. CURRENTLY THERE WILL BE ONE REMAINING CONSTRUCTION
- 4 CONTRACT AS OF JULY 1ST, AND THIS CONTRACT WILL EXPIRE IN JUNE OF 2000.
- 5 THIS AGENDA ITEM PROPOSES AWARD OF TWO NEW
- 6 CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS WHICH WILL MAINTAIN FLEXIBILITY FOR BOARD-MANAGED
- 7 REMEDIATION PROJECTS THROUGH JUNE OF 2001.
- 8 THE REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS PROCESS IS CURRENTLY --
- 9 IS ALSO CURRENTLY BEING IMPLEMENTED FOR SELECTION OF A NEW ENGINEERING
- 10 AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES CONTRACTOR. THE CURRENT CONTRACT EXPIRES
- 11 THIS JUNE. AND TO ADDRESS CONCERNS OF THE BOARD PRESENTED IN MARCH,
- 12 THAT PROCESS IS USING AN EXPANDED SCORING PANEL OF STAFF FROM OUTSIDE
- 13 THE AGENCY IN THE PROGRAM.
- 14 WE HAVE -- TERRY JORDAN OF THE ADMINISTRATION AND
- 15 FINANCE DIVISION WILL NOW PRESENT DETAILED INFORMATION ON THE REQUEST
- 16 FOR QUALIFICATIONS PROCESS UTILIZED.
- 17 MS. JORDAN: GOOD MORNING, CHAIRMAN AND BOARD MEMBERS. AS
- 18 NOTED ON PAGE TWO OF THE ITEM, THE EVALUATION PROCESS USED IN THE RFQ
- 19 CONSISTED OF FIVE STEPS.
- 20 ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE DIVISION'S CONTRACTS UNIT
- 21 DID HAVE A PARTICULAR ROLE IN THIS PROCESS WITH REGARDS TO REVIEWING AND
- 22 ENSURING THAT THE SOQS WERE COMPLETE AND RESPONSIVE.
- 23 IN ADDITION, THE ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE DIVISION
- 24 DID SERVE A PURPOSE IN REGARDS TO PLAYING A ROLE IN THE PANEL THAT
- 25 REVIEWED, IN THE INTERVIEW PROCESS, THE DIFFERENT CONTRACTORS. AND THE
- 26 PANEL CONSISTED OF THREE PROGRAM STAFF OF WHICH TWO, INCLUDING THE

- 1 CONTRACT MANAGER, WERE NEW TO THE AB 2136 PROGRAM. TWO NON-SCORING
- 2 PANEL MEMBERS, WHICH INCLUDED THE ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE DIVISION
- 3 INDIVIDUAL, AND THE MANAGER OR SUPERVISOR OVER THE AB 2136 PROGRAM, WERE
- 4 ALSO INVOLVED IN THESE INTERVIEWS. BASICALLY, THEY PROVIDED THE
- 5 OVERSIGHT IN CONDUCTING THE INTERVIEWS AND SERVED ON THAT HANEL.
- 6 BASED UPON THE RESULTS FROM THE FIVE-STEE PROCESS,
- 7 STAFF RECOMMENDS AWARDING THE AB 2136 PROGRAM CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS TO
- 8 TWO CONTRACTORS.
- 9 MR. WALKER: YES. AND TO GIVE A LITTLE BIT MORE FOLLOW-UP
- 10 ON THAT, WHY WE ARE RECOMMENDING THE TOP TWO CONTRACTORS, THERE ARE
- 11 SEVERAL REASONS.
- 12 ONE IS THOSE TWO SCORES WERE CLEARLY HIGHER THAN THE
- 13 OTHER TWO SCORES, THEY BROKE OUT SIGNIFICANTLY HIGHER.
- 14 HAVING AT LEAST TWO -- NUMBER TWO, HAVING AT LEAST TWO
- 15 CONTRACTS PROVIDES THE BOARD WITH FLEXIBILITY TO DO SIMULTANEOUS
- 16 PROJECTS IN DIFFERENT AREAS OF THE STATE.
- THE THIRD REASON IS THAT ONE OF THE OPTIONS OF, SAY,
- 18 BREAKING OUT FOUR CONTRACTS WOULD BE PROBLEMATICAL IN THE SENSE THAT
- 19 YOU'RE BREAKING UP A POT OF MONEY INTO SUCH A SMALL AMOUNT IT CONSTRAINS
- 20 THE SIZE OF THE PROJECT THAT YOU COULD DO. AND ALSO, WHEN YOU HAVE FOUR
- 21 CONTRACTS AT THE SAME TIME, THE AMOUNT OF STAFF RESOURCES TO MANAGE IT,
- 22 THOSE CONTRACTS, BECOMES PROBLEMATICAL.
- 23 IN CONCLUSION, STAFF RECOMMENDS ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION
- 24 NO. 1999-169, TO APPROVE AWARD OF CONTRACTS FOR CONSTRUCTION SERVICES TO
- 25 SUKUT CONSTRUCTION AND GUINN CONSTRUCTION, AND TO ENCUMBER \$770,000 TO
- 26 EACH CONTRACT.

- 1 THAT CONCLUDES STAFF'S PRESENTATION. STAFF IS
- 2 AVAILABLE TO ANSWER QUESTIONS.
- 3 CHAIRMAN EATON: ANY QUESTIONS OF STAFF?
- 4 MEMBER JONES: MR. CURTIS?
- 5 CHAIRMAN EATON: MR. JONES.
- 6 MEMBER JONES: A QUESTION AND AN APOLOGY. I'M THE ONE -- I
- 7 HAD A LOT OF PROBLEMS WITH HOW THIS WAS PRESENTED TO ME IN MY BRIEFING,
- 8 AND THEN AGAIN THE DAY AT THE BOARD.
- 9 THIS BOARD HAD GIVEN DIRECTION TO HAVE SOME KIND OF
- 10 BLIND REVIEW OF ALL OF OUR PROPOSALS THAT COME -- THAT CAME IN. AND I
- 11 WAS OF THE ASSUMPTION THAT THREE PEOPLE WERE THE ONLY THREE THAT WERE IN
- 12 THE ROOM, AND THAT WAS CONTRARY TO WHAT THIS BOARD HAD DIRECTED. AND IT
- 13 TOOK A MONTH AND A HALF OR TO FINALLY HAVE SOMEBODY TELL ME THAT THERE
- 14 WERE TWO OTHER PEOPLE IN THE ROOM FROM DIFFERENT AREAS THAT ALSO
- 15 CONCURRED WITH THE SCORING. AND THAT ALLEVIATED MY PROBLEM AND SHOWED
- 16 ME THAT THE STAFF HAD, IN FACT, FOLLOWED OUR DIRECTION.
- 17 I DO HAVE A PROBLEM WITH THE FACT THAT WE'RE STILL
- 18 WORKING THROUGH THE POLICY. AND I THINK THAT IT MAKES SENSE TO AWARD
- 19 THIS CONTRACT, BUT I THINK WE SHOULDN'T SPEND ANY MONEY UNTIL WE GET THE
- 20 POLICY, YOU KNOW, DONE, FILED, AND, YOU KNOW, DOTTED AND ALL THE T'S
- 21 CROSSED AND ALL THAT STUFF. BUT I'LL LEAVE THAT UP TO THE OTHER BOARD
- 22 MEMBERS.
- BUT, I DO THANK THE STAFF FOR TAKING OUR DIRECTION
- 24 ORIGINALLY. I JUST WISH THAT I HAD KNOWN THAT, AND THIS WOULD NOT HAVE
- 25 BEEN AN ISSUE.
- MEMBER PENNINGTON: MR. CURTIS?

- 1 CHAIRMAN EATON: MR. PENNINGTON.
- 2 MEMBER PENNINGTON: I'LL BE HAPPY TO MOVE ADOPTION OF
- 3 RESOLUTION 1999-169 TO AWARD A CONTRACT IN THE AMOUNT OF 770,000 TO
- 4 SUKUT CONSTRUCTION, AND 770,000 TO GUINN CONSTRUCTION.
- 5 CHAIRMAN EATON: IF YOU WOULD JUST KINDLY HOLD THAT FOR ONE
- 6 MOMENT? WE HAVE A COUPLE OF SPEAKERS --
- 7 MEMBER PENNINGTON: OH, SURE.
- 8 CHAIRMAN EATON: -- SLIPS. I BELIEVE THEY'RE FOR THIS ITEM,
- 9 THEY HAVE IT LISTED AS 5-A, BUT I NOTICE A GENTLEMAN IS HERE FROM SUKUT
- 10 CONSTRUCTION, WHICH TELLS ME THAT THEY NUMBERS ARE WRONG.
- SO, IS MR. DAVID GRATTAN HERE FROM SUKUT, AND IS IT ON
- 12 THIS ITEM THAT YOU CARE TO SPEAK OR IS IT ANOTHER ITEM? BECAUSE, WE
- 13 DON'T HAVE 5-A. DO YOU HAVE ANY COMMENT?
- MR. JONES: HE HEARD THE MOTION.
- 15 CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY. THEN I HAVE ANOTHER 5-A FROM RANDALL
- 16 ABBOTT. YOU HAVEN'T HEARD ME SPEAK YET, I DON'T KNOW IF YOU WANT TO DO
- 17 THAT.
- 18 MR. ABBOTT: MR. CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE BOARD, MY NAME
- 19 IS RANDALL ABBOTT, AND I'M ADDRESSING YOU THIS AFTERNOON ON BEHALF OF
- 20 GUINN CONSTRUCTION.
- 21 GUINN CONSTRUCTION IS A FAMILY-OWNED BUSINESS THAT
- 22 TAKES A GREAT DEAL OF PRIDE IN THEIR WORK, AND IS VERY PLEASED TO BE
- 23 OFFERED THE OPPORTUNITY TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS CONTRACT.
- 24 TWO PRINCIPALS OF GUINN CONSTRUCTION ARE HERE TODAY,
- 25 MR. GARY GUINN AND MR. JEFF ALFONSO (PHON). IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS
- 26 AT ALL REGARDING THEIR PROPOSAL THEY WILL BE MORE THAN HAPPY TO ANSWER

- 1 THOSE QUESTIONS. THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
- 2 CHAIRMAN EATON: MR. PENNINGTON, MR. JONES HAD REMARKED THAT
- 3 IT WAS AT LEAST A POINT DISCUSSING WITH REGARD TO THESE ADDITIONAL
- 4 FUNDS.
- 5 SINCE WE HAVE FUNDS THAT GO ALL THE WAY THROUGH TO
- 6 JUNE 2000 AND WE'RE IN THE PROCESS OF CRAFTING SOME AMENDMENTS TO OUR
- 7 CURRENT POLICY, AS WELL AS A COST RECOVERY PROGRAM, THAT PERHAPS PART OF
- 8 THE MOTION OUGHT TO BE THE INCLUSION OF A SENTENCE THAT PERHAPS SAYS THE
- 9 MONIES IN THIS RESOLUTION TOTALING 1.5 MILLION 40 THOUSAND CANNOT BE
- 10 EXPENDED UNTIL THE BOARD ADOPTS ITS NEW 2136 PROGRAM, INCLUDING BUT NOT
- 11 LIMITED TO COST RECOVERY POLICY, ETC., OR IN EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY THE
- 12 BOARD MAY COME BACK -- THE STAFF MAY COME BACK TO THE BOARD WITH A
- 13 PROPOSAL FOR EXPENDING THESE FUNDS IN THE CASE OF AN EMERGENCY. THAT
- 14 WAY AT LEAST THESE FUNDS WOULD NOT BE SUBJECT TO ANY OF THE OLD POLICIES
- 15 OR INTERPRETATION WHICH HAS BEEN THE CAUSE OF SOME CONTROVERSY.
- 16 SENATOR ROBERTI.
- 17 MEMBER ROBERTI: WELL, I SHOULDN'T HAVE INTERRUPTED YOU, BUT
- 18 I'M WILLING TO WAIT ON THE ADOPTION OF THE POLICY AS LONG AS WE COME UP
- 19 WITH A POLICY ADOPTION WITHIN A SHORT PERIOD OF TIME.
- 20 CHAIRMAN EATON: I THINK IT'S ON --
- MS. JORDAN: IT'S ON THE JUNE 9TH AGENDA.
- 22 CHAIRMAN EATON: JUNE 9TH.
- 23 MEMBER ROBERTI: JUNE 9TH? OKAY. SO THAT MEANS IF WE
- 24 WITHHOLD -- WE ADOPT THE --
- 25 CHAIRMAN EATON: WE'RE ALLOCATING THE MONEY.
- 26 MEMBER ROBERTI: WE ALLOCATE THE MONEY, THEY CAN'T SPEND IT

- 1 UNTIL AFTER JUNE 9TH. ASSUMING WE -- OH, THAT'S ALL RIGHT. OKAY. I'D
- 2 HATE TO WAIT TOO MUCH LONGER THAN THAT BECAUSE --
- 3 CHAIRMAN EATON: NO, CURRENTLY THERE'S MONEY AIREADY.
- 4 MEMBER ROBERTI: OKAY. OH, THERE IS? OKAY.
- 5 CHAIRMAN EATON: HOW MUCH MONEY DO WE HAVE -- THIS IS THESE
- 6 OVERLAPPING CONTRACTS WHICH CAUSE ME MUCH CONFUSION --
- 7 MEMBER ROBERTI: OKAY. THAT'S FINE, YEAH --
- 8 (THE PARTIES SIMULTANEOUSLY SPEAK.)
- 9 CHAIRMAN EATON: -- AND WHAT WE HAVE IS, WE HAVE UP INTO
- 10 JUNE 2000 I THINK WE HAVE REMAINING HOW MUCH?
- 11 STAFF: \$1.43 MILLION.
- 12 CHAIRMAN EATON: ONE-POINT-FOUR-THREE.
- 13 MEMBER ROBERTI: OKAY, FINE.
- 14 CHAIRMAN EATON: SO ALL WE'RE JUST BASICALLY SAYING IS THAT
- 15 WE WOULD GIVE THEM THE MONEY, THEY HAVE THE MONEY, AND JUST HOPEFULLY --
- 16 BECAUSE THERE MAY BE THE ISSUE OF FIRE SUPPRESSION, AS YOU KNOW THAT
- 17 AROSE IN ONE OF THE OTHER INSTANCES THAT WE'RE CONSIDERING, AND IF SOME
- 18 OF THOSE POP UP IT WOULD BE NICE THAT WE COULD HAVE THAT OF PORTUNITY, IF
- 19 WE DON'T HAVE A POLICY IN PLACE TO MAYBE ADOPT SOMETHING IN AN EMERGENCY
- 20 SITUATION WHICH ALLOWS US THOSE OPPORTUNITIES. AND THAT'S ALL, IT'S
- 21 MORE OF A PROACTIVE THAN A DEFENSIVE POSTURE IN THIS PARTIQULAR MEASURE,
- 22 BUT....
- 23 MEMBER PENNINGTON: I DON'T HAVE A PROBLEM. IF YOU'D GIVE
- 24 ME -- IF YOU HAVE SOMETHING WRITTEN I'LL READ IT INTO THE RESOLUTION IF
- 25 YOU'D LIKE.
- 26 CHAIRMAN EATON: OH, I JUST GOT THIS --

1 MEMBER PENNINGTON: OH, OKAY. CHAIRMAN EATON: -- I NEVER WRITE ANYTHING OUT. I KNEW A 3 FORMER INDIVIDUAL, AT THE TIME HE WROTE SOMETHING OUT HE KEPT REPEATING 4 WHAT HE WROTE. 5 MEMBER PENNINGTON: OKAY. CHAIRMAN EATON: I THINK SOME OF US MAY KNOW WHO THAT 6 INDIVIDUAL IS, AND I'M NOT SAYING THAT TO SENATOR ROBERTI, I THINK HE KNOWS THE INDIVIDUAL. BUT, GO AHEAD, I'M SORRY. 8 MEMBER PENNINGTON: SURE. WELL, I JUST MOVE ADOPTION OF 9 10 RESOLUTION 1999-169 TO AWARD THE CONTRACTS 770,000 TO SUKUT AND 770,000 TO GUINN CONSTRUCTION, PENDING RESOLUTION OF OUR POLICY ISSUE TO FUND 11 ANY NEW CONSTRUCTION WORK FOR THE AB 2136 PROGRAM. 12 13 DOES THAT --14 CHAIRMAN EATON: THAT'S FINE. 15 MEMBER PENNINGTON: -- SATISFY YOU? CHAIRMAN EATON: YEAH. SECOND? 16 17 MEMBER ROBERTI: I'LL SECOND. CHAIRMAN EATON: SENATOR ROBERTI SECONDS. MR. PENNINGTON 18 19 MOVES, AND SENATOR ROBERTI SECONDS, THAT WE ADOPT RESOLUTION 1999-169 20 RELATING TO THE 2136 ALLOCATION OF FUNDS, AND ALSO WITH THE INCLUSION OF THE CAVEAT THAT THESE FUNDS SHOULD NOT BE EXPENDED UNTIL THE ADOPTION OF 21 22 THE 2136 PROGRAM, OR IN THE EVENT THAT STAFF COMES BACK IN A

26 WITHOUT OBJECTION, MADAM SECRETARY, PLEASE CALL THE

CIRCUMSTANCE WHICH DICTATES THAT WE NEED TO EXPEND THESE FUNDS PRIOR

THERETO. AND HOPEFULLY BY THE JUNE 9TH MEETING WE WILL HAVE RESOLVED

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THAT ISSUE OF POLICY.

| 1  | ROLL.  |
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| 2  | THE SECRETARY: BOARD MEMBERS JONES?                                    |
| 3  | MEMBER JONES: AYE.   |
| 4  | THE SECRETARY: PENNINGTON?   |
| 5  | MEMBER PENNINGTON: AYE.  |
| 6  | THE SECRETARY: ROBERTI?  |
| 7  | MEMBER ROBERTI: AYE.   |
| 8  | THE SECRETARY: CHAIRMAN EATON?   |
| 9  | CHAIRMAN EATON: AYE.   |
| 10 | MOTION PASSES.   |
| 11 | ITEM B   |
| 12 | MEMBER PENNINGTON: MR. CHAIRMAN, ONE QUESTION.                         |
| 13 | CHAIRMAN EATON: I'M SORRY, MR. PENNINGTON.                             |
| 14 | MEMBER PENNINGTON: OR A CLARIFICATION. SO THAT THESE                   |
| 15 | PEOPLE UNDERSTAND, THAT WE WILL ENCUMBER THE MONEY FOR THEIR           |
| 16 | PARTICIPATION IN THIS PROGRAM, WE'RE JUST NOT GOING TO SPEND ANY UNTIL |
| 17 | WE GET OUR POLICY RESOLVED.  |
| 18 | CHAIRMAN EATON: YEAH.  |
| 19 | MEMBER PENNINGTON: AS FAR AS I UNDERSTAND.                             |
| 20 | CHAIRMAN EATON: BUT FOR SOME REASON I MEAN, WE HAVE                    |
| 21 | ABOUT ONE-POINT-FOUR LEFT, BUT LET'S SAY FOR SOME REASON THERE'S A     |
| 22 | CATASTROPHIC EVENT THAT TAKES PLACE, EVEN FROM THIS DATE FORWARD, THAT |
| 23 | IS NOT GOING TO PROHIBIT USING THE ONE-POINT-FOUR, PLUS WHATEVER WE    |
| 24 | ALLOCATED TODAY IF IT NEEDS TO BE TO RESOLVE THAT ISSUE. IT IS IN NO   |
| 25 | WAY A MEANS OF SAYING IT'S NOT BEING ALLOCATED OR ANYTHING.            |
| 26 | MEMBER PENNINGTON: RIGHT. I JUST WANTED TO ASSURE THAT                 |

- 1 IT'S UNDERSTOOD --
- CHAIRMAN EATON: ABSOLUTELY.
- 3 MEMBER PENNINGTON: -- THAT IN THEIR PLANNING THEY CAN PLAN
- 4 THAT, THAT THEY -- WE HAVE APPROVED A CONTRACT WITH THEM.
- 5 CHAIRMAN EATON: YOU HAVE SHOWED THEM THE MONEY, ABSOLUTELY.
- 6 AGENDA ITEM B: CONSIDERATION OF A REVISED SOLID WASTE FACILITY
- 7 PERMIT FOR THE KIEFER LANDFILL, SACRAMENTO COUNTY
- 8 CHAIRMAN EATON: ALL RIGHT. CONTINUING WITH ITEM NO. B,
- 9 KIEFER LANDFILL.
- 10 MR. WHITEHILL: GOOD MORNING, CHAIRMAN EATON, HOARD MEMBERS,
- 11 I'M JOHN WHITEHILL OF THE BOARD'S PERMITTING AND INSPECTION BRANCH, AND
- 12 I'LL BE INTRODUCING THE PROPOSED KIEFER LANDFILL PERMIT. I'LL BE
- 13 SUMMARIZING THE PROJECT AND PRESENTING STAFF'S FINDINGS AND
- 14 RECOMMENDATIONS.
- THIS ITEM WAS ORIGINALLY SCHEDULED TO BE HEARD AT THE
- 16 BOARD'S APRIL 27TH BOARD MEETING LAST WEEK, BUT WAS CONTINUED UNTIL
- 17 TODAY. THERE ARE NO CHANGES TO THE ITEM, EXCEPT THAT TODAY IS NOW THE
- 18 LAST DAY THAT THE BOARD CAN ACT ON THIS PERMIT.
- 19 THIS PERMIT WAS LAST REVISED IN 1995, AFTER SACRAMENTO
- 20 COUNTY COMPLETED AN EIR FOR AN INCREASE IN DAILY DISPOSAL TONNAGE, AN
- 21 INCREASE IN THE HEIGHT OF THE FILL AREA, AND A LATERAL EXPANSION OF THE
- 22 FILL AREA. HOWEVER, THE 1995 PERMIT, WHEN IT WAS ISSUED, ONLY ALLOWED
- 23 THE DAILY TONNAGE INCREASE.
- 24 THE SACRAMENTO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AT THAT
- <del>25 Time decided to limit the height of the landfill to its cur</del>rent 325 feet
- 26 ABOVE SEA LEVEL, AND DIRECTED THEIR STAFF TO PREPARE A SUPPLEMENTAL EIR

- 1 TO FURTHER ASSESS OTHER ALTERNATIVES TO EXPANDING THE LANDFILL. THE
- 2 SUPPLEMENTAL EIR WAS COMPLETED AND CERTIFIED IN OCTOBER OF 1998.
- 3 THE PERMIT BEFORE YOU TODAY AGAIN LIMITS THE HEIGHT OF
- 4 THE LANDFILL TO 325 FEET, BUT ALLOWS THE OPERATOR TO EXPAND THE LANDFILL
- 5 DISPOSAL AREA FROM THE CURRENTLY-PERMITTED 228 ACRES TO THE PROPOSED 660
- 6 ACRES, CHANGING THE ORIGINALLY-ESTIMATED CLOSURE DATE FROM 2001 TO THE
- 7 YEAR 2035.
- 8 THIS EXPANSION AREA CONTAINS APPROXIMATELY 4.8 ACRES
- 9 OF FEDERALLY-DESIGNATED WETLANDS WHICH ARE THE HABITAT FOR AN ENDANGERED
- 10 SPECIE OF FAIRY (PHON) SHRIMP. THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT
- 11 CONCLUDES THAT THERE ARE NO FEASIBLE ALTERNATIVES TO THE PROPOSED
- 12 EXPANSION, AND REQUIRES MITIGATIONS TO OFFSET THE DESTRUCTION OF THE
- 13 VERNAL POOLS AND THE OTHER WETLAND AREAS.
- 14 THE OPERATOR'S PRESENTATION LATER THIS MORNING WILL
- 15 CONTAIN SOME MAPS AND OVERHEADS TO SHOW YOU THE EXACT LOCATION OF THE
- 16 EXPANSION.
- 17 ALSO, THIS PERMIT WILL INITIALLY REDUCE THE PERMITTED
- 18 AVERAGE AND PEAK DAILY TONNAGES OF THE LANDFILL. THE TONNAGES WILL BE
- 19 INITIALLY REDUCED FROM THE CURRENT AVERAGE OF 3900 AND PEAR OF 6100 TONS
- 20 PER DAY, TO AN AVERAGE OF 2400 AND A PEAK OF 4,000 TONS PER DAY. AND
- 21 THEN THE PERMIT ALLOWS A GRADUAL INCREASE UP TO AN AVERAGE OF 6300 TONS
- 22 PER DAY AND 10,800 TONS PER DAY BY THE TIME THE LANDFILL REACHES
- 23 CAPACITY IN THE YEAR 2035. AS YOU CAN SEE, THE PERMIT WON'T ALLOW THE
- 24 PERMITTED PEAK OR AVERAGE TONNAGES TO EXCEED WHAT THEY ARE CURRENTLY
- 25 UNTIL APPROXIMATELY THE YEAR 2015.
- 26 ANY OPERATOR PROPOSING TO CHANGE THE DESIGN OR

- 1 OPERATION OF THE SOLID WASTE FACILITY IS REQUIRED TO SUBMIT AN
- 2 APPLICATION FOR PERMIT REVISION TO THE LEA. THE PERMIT APPLICATION
- 3 PACKAGE FOR A LANDFILL IS REQUIRED TO CONTAIN THE REPORT OF DISPOSAL
- 4 SITE INFORMATION, ANY CEQA INFORMATION, ANY REQUIRED LAND USE PERMITS,
- 5 COMPLETE CLOSURE AND POST-CLOSURE MAINTENANCE PLANS, AN OPERATING
- 6 LIABILITY DEMONSTRATION, A DEMONSTRATION OF FINANCIAL ASSURANCE FOR
- 7 CLOSURE AND POST-CLOSURE MAINTENANCE, AND ALSO A FINDING OF CONFORMANCE
- 8 WITH THE COUNTY'S INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN. THE LEA HAS
- 9 DETERMINED THAT THE APPLICATION PACKAGE IS COMPLETE AND CORRECT.
- 10 ALSO, SECTION 44009 OF THE PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE
- 11 STATES THAT THE BOARD SHALL OBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF A PROPOSED
- 12 PERMIT IF THE BOARD DETERMINES THAT THE PERMIT IS NOT CONSISTENT WITH
- 13 ANY OF THE FOLLOWING STANDARDS: EITHER STATE MINIMUM OPERATING AND
- 14 DESIGN STANDARDS FOR SOLID WASTE HANDLING AND DISPOSAL; OR, FINANCIAL
- 15 ABILITY STANDARDS FOR THE ESTIMATED COSTS OF LANDFILL CLOSURE AND POST-
- 16 CLOSURE MAINTENANCE; OR, THE FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY STANDARDS FOR
- 17 OPERATING LIABILITY CLAIMS; OR, ANY OTHER STANDARDS OR REGULATIONS
- 18 ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OR THE COUNTY'S INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN.
- 19 IN ADDITION, THE BOARD MAY ALSO OBJECT TO A PERMIT IF
- 20 THE OPERATOR IS NOT IN COMPLIANCE WITH AN ENFORCEMENT ORDER ISSUED BY
- 21 THE REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD, OR IF THE STATE WATER BOARD
- 22 HAS NOT TAKEN ACTION ON AN APPEAL PETITION THAT INCLUDES A REQUEST FOR A
- 23 STAY.
- 24 AT THE TIME THAT THE AGENDA ITEM BEFORE YOU WENT TO
- 25 PRINT THERE WERE STILL TWO FINDINGS WITHIN THE BOARD'S AUTHORITY THAT
- 26 HAD NOT YET BEEN MADE BY BOARD STAFF. ONE WAS CONSISTENCY WITH THE

- 1 INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN, AND THE OTHER WAS CONSISTENCY WITH
- 2 STATE MINIMUM STANDARDS.
- 3 SECTION 50001 OF THE PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE STATES, IN
- 4 PART, THAT NO PERSON SHALL ESTABLISH OR EXPAND A SOLID WASTE FACILITY
- 5 UNLESS THE LANDFILL LOCATION IS IDENTIFIED IN THE SITING ELEMENT OF THE
- 6 COUNTY'S INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN.
- 7 THE TONNAGE FORECASTS OF THE PERMIT AND THE TONNAGE
- 8 FORECASTS OF THE SITING ELEMENT DO NOT PRECISELY MATCH WHEN PROJECTED
- 9 BEYOND THE YEAR 2011. HOWEVER, THE LANDFILL LOCATION IS IDENTIFIED IN
- 10 THE SITING ELEMENT, AND THE PROPOSED EXPANSION IS ALSO DESCRIBED IN THE
- 11 SITING ELEMENT.
- 12 IN ADDITION, THE PROPOSED EXPANSION WOULD GIVE THE
- 13 COUNTY THE REQUIRED 15 YEARS OF DISPOSAL CAPACITY.
- 14 ALSO, THE LEA AND BOARD STAFF INSPECTED THE LANDFILL
- 15 ON MARCH 26TH, AND NOTED A VIOLATION OF THE BOARD'S STANDARD WHICH
- 16 REQUIRES ALL WASTE TO BE COVERED AT THE END OF EACH OPERATING DAY. THE
- 17 TARP USED TO COVER THE WASTE DID NOT COVER ONE CORNER OF THE PREVIOUS
- 18 DAY'S WORKING FACE. A REVIEW OF THE LEA'S MONTHLY INSPECTION REPORTS
- 19 INDICATES THAT THIS IS NOT NORMALLY A PROBLEM. THE LEA HAS SINCE BEEN
- 20 BACK TO THE SITE TO VERIFY THAT THE OPERATOR HAS TAKEN STEES TO PREVENT
- 21 THIS FROM HAPPENING IN THE FUTURE.
- 22 NO OTHER VIOLATIONS WERE NOTED ON THE DAY OF THE
- 23 INSPECTION AND THE LEA HAS NOT NOTED ANY OTHER VIOLATIONS WITHIN THE
- 24 LAST YEAR.
- <del>25 HOWEVER, THERE IS ONE AREA OF CONCERN THA</del>T IS WORTH
- 26 NOTING TODAY. BOARD STANDARDS REQUIRE LANDFILL OPERATORS TO PREVENT

- 1 EXPLOSIVE LEVELS OF LANDFILL GAS FROM MIGRATING OFF SITE. KIEFER
- 2 LANDFILL WAS PLACED ON THE BOARD'S INVENTORY OF FACILITIES THAT VIOLATE
- 3 STATE MINIMUM STANDARDS BACK IN AUGUST OF 1996 FOR GAS CONTROL
- 4 VIOLATIONS. THE SITE HAS SINCE BEEN REMOVED FROM THE INVENTORY, IN JUNE
- 5 OF 1997, AFTER THE INSTALLATION AND OPERATION OF A LANDFILL GAS CONTROL
- 6 SYSTEM BROUGHT THE METHANE LEVELS BELOW REGULATORY LEVELS A THE FACILITY
- 7 BOUNDARY.
- 8 IN LATE 1998 THE LEA BECAME AWARE THAT ONE PERIMETER
- 9 GAS PROBE, LOCATED NEAR THE WESTERN BOUNDARY OF THE LANDFILL,
- 10 OCCASIONALLY DETECTS HIGH LEVELS OF METHANE. THE LEA REQUIRED THE
- 11 OPERATOR TO SUBMIT A REPORT TO EXPLAIN THESE OCCURRENCES.
- 12 THE REPORT CONCLUDES THAT THE LANDFILL GAS COLLECTION
- 13 SYSTEM IS NOT ONLY PULLING GAS OUT OF THE LANDFILL, BUT IS ALSO DRAWING
- 14 BACK SOME OF THE GAS THAT HAD PREVIOUSLY MIGRATED OFF SITE PRIOR TO THE
- 15 GAS CONTROL SYSTEM BEING INSTALLED. APPARENTLY SOME OF THE GAS
- 16 GENERATED BEFORE INSTALLATION OF THE CONTROL SYSTEM HAD MOVED INTO A
- 17 SUBSURFACE SAND LAYER AND HAS NOT YET DISSIPATED.
- 18 BOARD AND LEA STAFF AGREE THAT THE REPORT CONTAINS
- 19 ENOUGH EVIDENCE TO SUPPORT THEIR THEORY THAT THE MOST LIKELY SOURCE OF
- 20 THE OCCASIONAL MONITORING EVENTS IS THAT OFF-SITE RESIDUAL GAS POCKET.
- 21 THE OPERATOR IS REQUIRED TO CONTINUE MONITORING THE OFF-SITE GAS POCKET
- 22 TO MAKE SURE THAT IT WILL EVENTUALLY DISSIPATE.
- 23 ALSO, REPRESENTS OF A CONCERNED CITIZENS GROUP HAVE
- 24 RAISED SEVERAL OTHER ISSUES, AND WHILE THESE CONCERNS ARE NOT UNDER THE
- 25 AUTHORITY OF THIS BOARD, I WILL BRIEFLY ADDRESS THOSE ISSUES THAT HAVE
- 26 BEEN SUBMITTED IN WRITING TO THE LEA.

- 1 THE COALITION FOR ALTERNATIVES TO KIEFER LANDFILL
- 2 CONTENDS THAT THE PERMIT VIOLATES FEDERAL STANDARDS BY FAILING TO
- 3 CONSIDER ALTERNATIVE LOCATIONS WHICH WOULD NOT DESTROY THE WETLANDS.
- 4 FEDERAL AND STATE STANDARDS RESTRICT THE SITING OR EXPANSION OF
- 5 LANDFILLS INTO DESIGNATED WETLANDS.
- 6 THE EIR PREPARED FOR THIS EXPANSION STATES THAT THERE
- 7 ARE NO FEASIBLE ALTERNATIVES TO THE EXPANSION, AND THAT STEPS HAVE BEEN
- 8 TAKEN TO MINIMIZE THE DESTRUCTION OF WETLANDS. THE EIR ALSO REQUIRES
- 9 MITIGATIONS TO OFFSET THE DESTRUCTION OF THE 4.8 ACRES OF WETLANDS IN
- 10 THE EXPANSION AREA.
- 11 THE REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD IS A STATE
- 12 AGENCY WITH AUTHORITY OVER WETLAND SITING, AND HAS ISSUED NEW WASTE
- 13 DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS WHICH REQUIRE THE WETLANDS MITIGATION PLAN TO BE
- 14 APPROVED BY THE U.S. FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE PRIOR TO ANY CONSTRUCTION
- 15 OF THE EXPANSION MODULES.
- 16 SECOND, THE COALITION CONTENDS THAT THE HERMIT DOES
- 17 NOT ADEQUATELY PROTECT GROUND WATER. THE OLD, INACTIVE, AND UNLINED
- 18 MODULE HAS CAUSED GROUND WATER CONTAMINATION, POSSIBLY AS A RESULT OF
- 19 HISTORIC CONTACT WITH LANDFILL GAS.
- THE OPERATOR IS CURRENTLY IN COMPLIANCE WITH ALL WATER
- 21 BOARD ENFORCEMENT ORDERS TO CLEAN UP THE GROUND WATER. A GROUND WATER
- 22 EXTRACTION AND TREATMENT SYSTEM HAS BEEN IN PLACE SINCE 1995, AND A
- 23 LANDFILL GAS CONTROL SYSTEM HAS BEEN IN OPERATION SINCE 1997.
- 24 THE DESIGN OF THE PROPOSED EXPANSION WILL MEET THE
- 25 WATER BOARD'S LINER AND LEACHATE CONTROL REQUIREMENTS. AND THE WATER
- 26 BOARD APPROVED THE NEW WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE LANDFILL

- 1 EXPANSION ON APRIL 30TH.
- 2 THIRD, THE COALITION SAYS THAT THE PERMIT FAILS TO
- 3 PROVIDE FINANCIAL ASSURANCE FOR FUTURE CORRECTIVE ACTIONS.
- 4 A LANDFILL OPERATOR IS REQUIRED TO MAKE THREE
- 5 FINANCIAL ASSURANCE DEMONSTRATIONS. THE FIRST IS FOR OPERATING
- 6 LIABILITY, THE SECOND IS FINANCIAL ASSURANCE FOR CLOSURE AND POST-
- 7 CLOSURE MAINTENANCE, AND THE THIRD IS CORRECTIVE ACTION FOR KNOWN OR
- 8 FORESEEABLE RELEASES OF CONTAMINATION.
- 9 THE FIRST TWO DEMONSTRATIONS ARE REQUIRED TO BE IN
- 10 PLACE PRIOR TO BOARD CONCURRENCE IN A PROPOSED PERMIT. IN FACT, THE
- 11 BOARD STAFF HAVE DETERMINED THAT THE OPERATOR IS CURRENTLY IN COMPLIANCE
- 12 WITH THESE STANDARDS.
- 13 THE OTHER DEMONSTRATION IS UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF THE
- 14 WATER BOARD AND IS INTENDED TO ENSURE THAT OPERATOR CAN PAY FOR POSSIBLE
- 15 FUTURE CLEANUP OF GROUND WATER. THIS DEMONSTRATION IS NOT A REQUIRED
- 16 COMPONENT OF A SOLID WASTE FACILITY PERMIT APPLICATION. OUR BOARDS ONLY
- 17 ROLE IS TO PROVIDE TECHNICAL EXPERTISE REGARDING THE FINANCIAL MECHANISM
- 18 FOR MAKING THE CORRECTIVE ACTION DEMONSTRATION. THE WATER BOARD HAS
- 19 APPROVED THE COST ESTIMATES FOR THIS CORRECTIVE ACTION, AND THE WASTE
- 20 BOARD STAFF HAVE APPROVED THE FINANCIAL MECHANISM FOR THAT
- 21 DEMONSTRATION.
- 22 ASSEMBLY BILL 1220 AND PUBLIC RESOURCES GODE SECTIONS
- 23 43055 AND 43101 REQUIRE THE WASTE BOARD AND THE WATER BOARDS TO MAINTAIN
- 24 A CLEAR AND CONCISE DIVISION OF AUTHORITY, AND REMOVE ALL AREAS OF
- 25 OVERLAP, DUPLICATION, AND CONFLICT.
- THE STATE AND REGIONAL WATER BOARDS ARE REQUIRED TO BE

- 1 THE SOLE AGENCIES REGULATING THE DISPOSAL AND CLASSIFICATION OF SOLID
- 2 WASTE FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROTECTING THE WATERS OF THE STATE, AND ALSO
- 3 THE ADOPTION OF REGULATIONS, PLANS, PERMITS OR STANDARDS, OR ANY
- 4 ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS SHALL NOT DUPLICATE OR BE IN CONFLICT WITH ANY
- 5 DETERMINATION RELATING TO WATER QUALITY CONTROL MADE BY THE STATE OR
- 6 REGIONAL WATER QUALITY BOARDS.
- 7 AS I MENTIONED EARLIER, THE WATER BOARD APPROVED THE
- 8 WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR THIS EXPANSION ON APRIL 30TH.
- 9 IN CONCLUSION, BOARD STAFF HAVE EVALUATED THE PROPOSED
- 10 PERMIT AND DETERMINED THAT IT COMPLIES WITH THE APPLICABLE LAWS AND
- 11 REGULATIONS AND MEETS THE STANDARDS ADOPTED BY THE BOARD, AND THAT ALL
- 12 APPLICABLE STATE AND LOCAL REQUIREMENTS PRECEDENT TO BOARD ACTION ON THE
- 13 PROPOSED PERMIT HAVE BEEN MET.
- 14 STAFF RECOMMEND ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION NO. 1999-162,
- 15 CONCURRING IN THE ISSUANCE OF SOLID WASTE FACILITY PERMIT NO. 34-AA-
- 16 0001.
- 17 THE OPERATOR IS HERE WITH A SHORT PRESENTATION, AND
- 18 THE LEA IS HERE TO ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS. ALSO, THERE ARE SOME MEMBERS
- 19 OF THE PUBLIC THAT ALSO HAVE A PRESENTATION. THANK YOU.
- 20 CHAIRMAN EATON: ANY QUESTIONS OF MR. WHITEHILI? OKAY.
- 21 MR. CERMAK: JIM CERMAK WITH THE LEA. NO COMMENTS AT THIS
- 22 TIME.
- 23 CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY. I HAVE TWO SPEAKER SLIES.
- MR. WHITEHILL: I BELIEVE THE OPERATOR HAS A PRESENTATION
- 25 ALSO.
- 26 CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY. I DON'T HAVE ANY SLIP. I KNOW YOU

- 1 MENTIONED IT, SO HAVE THEM COME FORWARD AND THEN WE'LL HAVE THE SPEAKER
- 2 SLIPS THAT I DO HAVE.
- 3 MR. MAXFIELD: THANK YOU, MR. CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE
- 4 BOARD, FOR THIS OPPORTUNITY TO TALK TO YOU ON THIS ITEM. I DO HAVE A
- 5 SHORT PRESENTATION. AND I AM PATRICK MAXFIELD FROM SACRAMENTO COUNTY
- 6 PUBLIC WORKS AGENCY. AND IF WE CAN GET THIS PRESENTATION UP AND
- 7 RUNNING?
- 8 WHAT I'D LIKE TO TALK ABOUT IS A LITTLE HISTORY OF THE
- 9 SITE WHICH MIGHT HELP PUT SOME OF THESE ISSUES INTO PERSPECTIVE.
- 10 THIS IS A VIEW OF THE LANDFILL, LOOKING NORTH. THIS
- 11 ROAD HERE IS GRANT LINE ROAD, AND THIS IS KIEFER BOULEVARD, AND YOU CAN
- 12 SEE HERE IN THE CENTER THE PART THAT'S BEEN IMPACTED BY LANDFILLING
- 13 SINCE THE SITE BEGAN IN 1967. AND IT SITS ON PROPERTY THAT WE PURCHASED
- 14 BACK IN 1967, 650 ACRES, AND FROM THAT TIME UNTIL THE EARLY '90S THERE
- 15 WAS ACTUALLY AN ENTITLEMENT TO LANDFILL OVER THE ENTIRE 650-ACRE PARCEL,
- 16 AND THAT ENTITLEMENT CAME FROM THE REGIONAL WATER QUALITY HOARD, AND
- 17 LATER YOUR BOARD, THE INTEGRATED WASTE BOARD.
- THE WASTE ITSELF TODAY IS CONFINED STRICTLY TO THE
- 19 AREA HERE IN PURPLE, OUTLINED IN PURPLE. AND THIS BLACK LINE SHOWS THE
- 20 AREA IN WHICH, UP UNTIL 1995, OUR COUNTY HAD AN ENTITLEMENT TO ACTUALLY
- 21 PLACE WASTE THROUGHOUT THE ENTIRE SITE.
- 22 IN EARLY 1990S, WHEN WE SET OUT TO EXPAND THE
- 23 LANDFILL, WE DISCOVERED WETLANDS, WHICH ARE LOCATED AND DEFICTED HERE IN
- 24 GREEN. AND THIS CAUSED US AT THAT TIME TO STOP, EXAMINE WHAT THIS
- <del>25 Meant, and what we discovered was that these were jurisdict</del>ional
- 26 WETLANDS INVOLVING THE CORPS OF ENGINEERS AND WOULD REQUIRE 404 PERMITS.

1 SO WE DECIDED THAT IT WOULD TAKE SOME TIME TO DO ALL THE TASKS TO EXPAND, SO WHAT WE DID IS, WE THEN ACQUIRED A PERMIT, WHICH 2 3 IS THIS AREA IN RED, AND THAT'S THE PERMIT THAT WE HAVE TODAY. THAT'S THE CURRENT ENTITLEMENT. AND WHAT WE'RE -- AND AS YOU CAN SEE, THAT 4 5 ENTITLEMENT DOESN'T ALLOW US TO LANDFILL WHERE WE PREVIOUSLY COULD. THE BLUE AREA, OR THE BLUE LINE, REPRESENTS THE 6 LANDFILL THAT HAS EMERGED FROM OUR RECONSIDERATION AND REDESIGN. AND THE IMPORTANT THING I WANT TO SHOW HERE IS THAT THE PRESENCE OF THE 8 WETLANDS ACTUALLY DROVE WHERE THIS EXPANSION BOUNDARY WOULD BE. 9 10 AND THE AREA WHERE WETLANDS ARE IMPACTED IS A SMALL AREA RIGHT HERE, AND ANOTHER SMALLER AREA RIGHT HERE. THESE ARE THE 11 ONLY JURISDICTIONAL WETLANDS. 12 13 AND WE'VE BEEN COLLABORATING WITH THE FEDERAL AGENCIES 14 INVOLVED, THE CORPS OF ENGINEERS, FEDERAL FISH AND WILDLIFE, AND EPA, 15 ADN WE WERE ON A COURSE TO GET A 404 PERMIT BUT A RECENT FEDERAL LAW SUIT CHANGED HOW THAT'S MANAGED, AND THE CORPS OF ENGINEERS NOW IS NO 16 17 LONGER INVOLVED, AT LEAST TEMPORARILY, UNTIL APPEALS ARE FINISHED. 18 AND SO WHAT THAT MEANS IS, WE'RE NOW LEFT TO TALK TO 19 THE FISH AND WILDLIFE, WHICH IS WHAT WE'RE DOING, WE HAVE A SECTION 10 20 CONSULTATION UNDERWAY WITH FISH AND WILDLIFE. AND WHAT WE'VE DONE IS, 21 WE'VE TAKEN THE MITIGATION PLAN THAT WE HAD PREVIOUSLY ACQUIRED BY 22 WORKING WITH THE CORPS OF ENGINEERS, EPA AND FISH AND WILDLIFE, AND WE 23 ARE TAKING THAT DOCUMENT AND WORKING WITH FISH AND WILDLIFE TO PROCEED FORWARD WITH IT. 24 THE END RESULT WOULD BE IF EXPANSION IS APPROVED, AND

26 FISH AND WILDLIFE CONTINUES IN THEIR PREVIOUS APPROVAL, IS THAT THE AREA

- 1 IN GREEN THAT YOU SEE HERE OUTSIDE OF THE BLUE LINE WOULD HE PROTECTED
- 2 IN PERPETUITY, WHICH IS IN ESSENCE FOREVER. SO, NO KIND OH USE COULD GO
- 3 IN THERE, IT WOULD BE OPEN SPACE AND WOULD STAY THERE FOREVER.
- 4 I'D JUST LIKE TO FINISH WITH JUST A LIST OF THE
- 5 PERMITS THAT -- AND THE DOCUMENTS THAT WE'VE RECEIVED TO DATE FOR THE
- 6 ENTIRE LANDFILL, KIND OF CHANGING FROM WETLANDS, BUT THIS IS EVERYTHING
- 7 TO DATE.
- 8 WE HAVE WORKED WITH U.S. EPA AND OUR LOCAL AIR QUALITY
- 9 DISTRICT TO GET OUR TITLE V OPERATING PERMIT AND -- AS REQUIRED BY THE
- 10 CLEAN AIR ACT. THAT'S DONE.
- 11 WE'VE WORKED WITH OUR LOCAL AIR DISTRICT TO GET AN
- 12 AUTHORITY TO CONSTRUCT PERMIT AND OPERATE OUR LANDFILL GAS COLLECTION
- 13 SYSTEM, FLARE (PHON), AND OUR FUTURE LANDFILL GAS TO ENERGY PROJECT,
- 14 WHICH IS NOW UNDER CONSTRUCTION.
- 15 AND OUR LOCAL BOARD OF SUPERVISORS HAS CERTIFIED THE
- 16 ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT AND HAS APPROVED THE PROJECT, WHICH HAS
- 17 ALLOWED US TO COME FORWARD WITH OUR APPLICATION TO YOUR BOARD.
- 18 AND THE REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD LAST
- 19 FRIDAY ADOPTED THE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR THIS EXPANSION
- 20 PROJECT.
- 21 AND U.S. FISH AND WILDLIFE, AS I JUST MENTIONED, WE
- 22 ARE IN CONSULTATION WITH THEM OVER SECTION 10(A) OF THE ENDANGERED
- 23 SPECIES ACT.
- 24 AND FINALLY, THE LOCAL ENFORCEMENT AGENCY HAS ISSUED
- <del>25 the integrated waste board permit which is the subject of T</del>he matter
- 26 HERE TODAY.

- 1 AND THEN FINALLY, CONCURRENCE BY YOUR BOARD WITH THAT
- 2 PERMIT IS THE SUBJECT OF WHY WE'RE HERE TODAY.
- 3 AND THESE ARE THE FINAL SLIDES, AND I'D JUST LIKE TO
- 4 TOUCH ON THE MONITORING THAT WE HAVE UNDERWAY. AND IT'S VERY IMPORTANT
- 5 AS YOU CONSIDER THIS PROJECT TO KEEP A DISTINCTION BETWEEN THE UNLINED
- 6 PORTION, WHICH IS DEPICTED HERE IN LIGHT GREEN, AND THE LINED PORTION
- 7 WHICH -- THIS IS THE CURRENT SITUATION OUT THERE NOW, WE HAVE AN UNLINED
- 8 LANDFILL, THE YELLOW IS LINED.
- 9 AND ALSO ON THE PROGRESSION OF MODULES WILL ALL BE
- 10 LINED, AND THEY'RE SHOWN IN THE MANNER IN WHICH WE WOULD BE INSTALLING
- 11 THEM IF APPROVED.
- 12 AND FINALLY WE HAVE A WHOLE VARIETY OF INFORMATION ON
- 13 THE SUBSURFACE WHICH SHOWS YOU THAT THROUGHOUT THE ENTIRE SITE -- WE
- 14 MONITOR IN THE UPPER REGION IN YELLOW, THE MIDDLE REGION IN GREEN, AND
- 15 THE BOTTOM REGION IN PURPLE, AND WE'VE BEEN DOING THIS CONTINUOUSLY WITH
- 16 55 OR MORE MONITORING WELLS. AND SO WE HAVE, WE BELIEVE, A VERY SOUND
- 17 UNDERSTANDING OF WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE SUBSURFACE.
- 18 WE DO HAVE A LITTLE CONTAMINATION PLUME THAT SETS IN
- 19 HERE, LOCALLY CONFINED, IMMEDIATELY UNDER THE LANDFILL.
- 20 AND THIS HERE DEPICTS ALL OF THE MONITORING WELLS AND
- 21 OTHER MONITORING POINTS THAT WE HAVE AT THE SITE.
- 22 AND I BELIEVE THAT'S -- SHOULD BE ALL I'I LIKE TO GO
- 23 IN TO NOW. I HAVE OTHER SLIDES IF YOU WANT TO GET INTO OTHER TOPICS,
- 24 BUT THAT PRESENTS WHAT I WOULD LIKE TO PRESENT. AND IF YOU HAVE ANY
- 25 QUESTIONS I'D BE MORE THAN HAPPY TO ANSWER THEM.
- 26 CHAIRMAN EATON: ANY QUESTIONS FOR MR. MAXFIELD? SENATOR

- 1 ROBERTI.
- 2 MEMBER ROBERTI: WE'VE REVIEWED THIS REQUEST RATHER
- 3 EXTENSIVELY, NOW IN THE HEARING BUT ALSO INFORMALLY.
- 4 THE ONE THING THAT STILL CAUSES ME SOME THE ONE
- 5 THING THAT CAUSES ME A DEGREE OF CONCERN IS THE FACT THAT THE CITY OF
- 6 SACRAMENTO WILL NOT BE USING KIEFER, AND YET KIEFER HAS NOT ADJUSTED THE
- 7 AMOUNT OF ACREAGE -- THE COUNTY HASN'T ADJUSTED THE AMOUNT OF ACREAGE
- 8 THAT THEY'RE REQUESTING FOR THIS PERMIT, WHICH COULD GIVE SOME CREDENCE
- 9 TO CONCERNS THAT THE COUNTY IS PLANNING TO TAKE IN MORE WASTE THAN IS
- 10 CURRENTLY ANTICIPATED.
- 11 WHAT DO YOU HAVE TO SAY ABOUT THAT?
- 12 MR. MAXFIELD: WELL, AS WE SPEAK THE CITY OF SACRAMENTO IS
- 13 USING THE SITE, AND --
- 14 MEMBER ROBERTI: WELL, I KNOW THAT. BUT I UNDERSTAND
- 15 THEY'RE GOING TO GO --
- MR. MAXFIELD: THAT'S TRUE.
- 17 MEMBER ROBERTI: THEY'RE GOING TO GO ELSEWHERE.
- 18 MR. MAXFIELD: THAT'S TRUE. SACRAMENTO COUNTY HAS NO
- 19 INTENTION OF GOING BEYOND WASTE GENERATED IN THE COUNTY. HURTHERMORE,
- 20 PROBABLY WOULD NOT BE ECONOMICALLY FEASIBLE, AS YOU -- I THINK YOU'RE
- 21 ALLUDING TO MAYBE HAVING IMPORTED WASTE FROM OUTSIDE --
- 22 MEMBER ROBERTI: LIKE WHAT ORANGE COUNTY DOES.
- MR. MAXFIELD: RIGHT.
- 24 MEMBER ROBERTI: THEY TAKE IN WASTE FROM EVERYHODY AND IT
- 25 HELPS GET THEM OUT OF THEIR DEBT.
- MR. MAXFIELD: RIGHT. THE PERMIT THAT WE HAVE BEFORE YOU IS

- 1 -- WAS BASED ON THE FACT THAT THE CITY WOULD BE THERE, THAT'S TRUE, ALL
- 2 THE WASTE PROJECTIONS SHOW THEM BEING THERE. AND IT WAS JUST RECENTLY
- 3 THAT WE'VE LEARNED THAT -- FOR THEIR POTENTIAL TO LEAVE.
- 4 HOWEVER, IT'S ALSO POSSIBLE THAT THEY COULD COME BACK.
- 5 THEY COULD COME BACK AS QUICKLY AS THEY LEAVE.
- 6 WE'RE DOING A VARIETY OF THINGS LOCALLY. WE'RE
- 7 LOWERING OUR -- WE'RE AT LEAST RECOMMENDING THAT OUR BOARD LOWER THE
- 8 LANDFILL RATE TO BECOME A LITTLE MORE COMPETITIVE AND THAT SORT OF
- 9 THING.
- 10 BUT EVEN IF THE CITY WERE TO LEAVE PERMANENTLY, MY
- 11 SENSE IS THAT WHAT HAPPENS IS THE LANDFILL WOULD JUST LAST LONGER, IT
- 12 WOULD TAKE US INSTEAD OF THE 35 YEARS TO BUILD THIS OUT, ASSUMING THAT
- 13 ALL THAT WASTE WAS THERE, IT WOULD TAKE SOME ADDITIONAL LENGTH OF TIME.
- 14 WE'VE CALCULATED THAT TO BE IN THE RANGE OF ABOUT ANOTHER FIVE YEARS.
- 15 THE IMPACT OF THE CITY WASTE WOULD INCREASE -- IF WE WERE TO REMOVE IT
- 16 WOULD INCREASE THE LIFE FROM 2035 TO ABOUT 2040.
- 17 SO THAT'S THE IMPACT WE'RE TALKING ABOUT, IT'S --
- 18 MEMBER ROBERTI: WELL, I'M NOT DOUBTING YOUR STATISTICS,
- 19 THAT'S -- THAT SEEMS A LITTLE BIT CONSERVATIVE.
- 20 MR. MAXFIELD: WELL, BUT NO, WE --
- 21 MEMBER ROBERTI: BECAUSE ISN'T THE CITY ROUGHLY LIKE -- I
- 22 GUESS SACRAMENTO HAS A DISADVANTAGE THAT, YOU KNOW, ALL OF US, EVEN IF
- 23 WE'RE NOT RESIDENTS OFFICIALLY LIVE HERE ANYWAY, SO WE KNOW -- WE KNOW
- 24 ABOUT YOUR SITUATION PROBABLY MORE THAN OTHER PARTS OF THE STATE.
- 25 MR. MAXFIELD: RIGHT.
- 26 MEMBER ROBERTI: BUT ISN'T THE CITY LIKE --

| 1  | MR. MAXFIELD: I'M SORRY?  |
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| 2  | MEMBER ROBERTI: ISN'T THE CITY ABOUT 30%, 35% OF THE COUNTY       |
| 3  | POPULATION? I DON'T KNOW WHAT PROJECTIONS ARE, BUT                |
| 4  | MR. MAXFIELD: YEAH, THAT'S ABOUT THE RIGHT RANGE. YEAH.           |
| 5  | MEMBER ROBERTI: YEAH. I DON'T SEE WELL, MAYBE YOU                 |
| 6  | MR. MAXFIELD: BUT WE'VE ACTUALLY                                  |
| 7  | MEMBER ROBERTI: I JUST DON'T SEE HOW THAT WOULD ONLY MEAN         |
| 8  | FIVE YEARS.   |
| 9  | MR. MAXFIELD: WE'VE ACTUALLY COMPARED THAT, WE DONE OUR           |
| 10 | SPREADSHEETS AND  |
| 11 | MEMBER ROBERTI: I'M NOT DOUBTING YOU, JUST                        |
| 12 | MR. MAXFIELD: RIGHT.  |
| 13 | MEMBER ROBERTI: IT'S HARD TO COMPREHEND.                          |
| 14 | MR. MAXFIELD: OKAY.   |
| 15 | CHAIRMAN EATON: THANK YOU. I HAVE TWO SPEAKER SLIPS. MR.          |
| 16 | KELLY SMITH REPRESENTING THE COALITION FOR ALTERNATIVES TO KIEFER |
| 17 | LANDFILL.   |
| 18 | MR. SMITH: MR. CHAIRMAN, KELLY SMITH FOR THE COALITION FOR        |
| 19 | ALTERNATIVES TO KIEFER LANDFILL.                                  |
| 20 | BUT I'D LIKE TO IF GEORGE WAEGELL COULD GO BEFORE                 |
| 21 | ME, AND I'LL GO AFTERWARDS?                                       |
| 22 | CHAIRMAN EATON: SURE.   |
| 23 | MR. SMITH: THANK YOU.   |
| 24 | CHAIRMAN EATON: MR. GEORGE WAEGELL.                               |

26 CHAIRMAN EATON: EXCUSE ME, COULD YOU JUST -- WELL, TAKE A

MR. WAEGELL: (INAUDIBLE; OFF-MIKE.)

## AUDI-X REPORTING

- 1 FEW MINUTES. SURE, JUST TAKE A FEW MINUTES.
- 2 MR. WAEGELL, COULD YOU GO TO THE MICROPHONE AND
- 3 ANNOUNCE YOUR NAME, AND THEN -- JUST FOR THE RECORD, JUST SO WE CAN
- 4 ESTABLISH THAT.
- 5 MR. WAEGELL: MY NAME IS GEORGE WAEGELL
- 6 (REPORTER'S NOTE: MR. WAEGELL REFUSED TO USE THE NIKE,
- 7 WALKED ALL OVER THE PLACE AND NO ADEQUATE RECORDING AND/OR REPORTING
- 8 COULD BE MADE.)
- 9 CHAIRMAN EATON: KELLY SMITH?
- 10 MR. SMITH: THANK YOU, MR. CHAIRMAN. WHILE I GET SET UP
- 11 HERE. FIRST OF ALL I WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE BOARD AND THE STAFF FOR
- 12 THEIR COURTESY. JOHN WHITEHILL AND MARY COIL (PHON) WERE VERY COURTEOUS
- 13 AND HELPFUL. ALSO THE BOARD MEMBERS THEMSELVES AND THEIR ADVISORS
- 14 BECAUSE I KNOW YOU HAVE TAKEN QUITE A BIT OF TIME TO FULLY CONSIDER THAT
- 15 AS ONE OF THE SITES IN YOUR BACKYARD.
- 16 LITERALLY THE TRUCKS THAT GO TO KIEFER GO DOWN WATT AVENUE.
- 17 AS I ALREADY SAID, WE ARE OPPOSED TO CONCURRENCE IN THE PERMIT. WHY,
- 18 BECAUSE THIS PERMIT RUNS DIRECTLY IN THE FACE OF EVERY DIRECTION,
- 19 FEDERAL AND STATE THAT THIS BOARD IS SUPPOSED TO BE ENFORCING. WE ARE
- 20 TRYING TO GET AWAY FROM SITES THAT WERE PUT THERE BEFORE THE CURRENT
- 21 ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROLS AND MOVING TO SITES THAT ARE ESSENTIALLY SITED
- 22 WITH ADEQUATE PROTECTION.
- THIS SITE IS A PATENTLY DEFECTIVE SITE. GEORGE TALKS ABOUT
- 24 THE SAND, YOU HAVE SEEN IT ENTIRELY RINGED BY WETLANDS AND IN THE ENTIRE
- 25 SITE A CREEK GOES NEXT TO IT. THE CONSUMNES RIVER FLOODS UP AGAINST THE
- 26 SITE OF THE LANDFILL. THIS IS A BAD SITE.

- 1 BEYOND THAT, THERE'S ALSO THE -- A RAMIFICATION BEYOND
- 2 THE JURISDICTIONS OF THE COUNTY. AND AGAIN, THAT'S THE ROLE OF THIS
- 3 BOARD TO CONSIDER. AND IF YOU ARE GOING TO HAVE AN ACTUAL ROLE IN
- 4 IMPLEMENTING STATEWIDE PLANNING THROUGH THE INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT
- 5 PLANS I THINK YOU HAVE TO CONSIDER IF A REGIONAL LANDFILL 1/S PERMITTED
- 6 IN ONE COUNTY WITHOUT -- YOU KNOW, WITHOUT THE PLANNING CONFORMANCE THAT
- 7 YOU GUYS HAVE A CHECK OVER, AND IF IT IMPACTS THE PLANS IN OTHER
- 8 JURISDICTIONS, ARE YOU GOING TO ALLOW THAT.
- 9 I MEAN, IN OTHER WORDS, WITHOUT REQUIRING AN ADEQUATE
- 10 DESCRIPTION -- AND BY ADEQUATE, MEANING THOROUGH ENOUGH TO MAKE
- 11 DECISIONS AND HAVE PUBLIC INPUT ABOUT, AND FOR YOU TO REVIEW THESE KIND
- 12 OF IMPACTS, THE INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN IS A WASTE OF
- 13 EVERYBODY'S TIME. YOU REALLY HAVE VERY LITTLE TO DO AS AN INTEGRATED
- 14 WASTE MANAGEMENT PLANNING ENTITY HERE.
- 15 AND SO -- AND THIS LANDFILL IS A GOOD EXAMPLE OF WHAT
- 16 GOES WRONG IF YOU'RE NOT GOING TO REQUIRE THAT. AND YOU HAVE TO START -
- 17 IF YOU'RE GOING TO START, YOU HAVE TO START SOMETIME. THE FACTORS
- 18 INVOLVED WITH THIS LANDFILL, THE THREATS OF -- THE CONTAMINATION
- 19 ONGOING, THE FUTURE THREATS, THE WASTE STREAM ISSUES AND SO FORTH MAKE
- 20 IT, I THINK, AN EXCELLENT EXAMPLE, AN EXCELLENT TIME TO START
- 21 IMPLEMENTING A POLICY WHERE YOU REQUIRE THAT CONFORMANCE.
- 22 CHAIRMAN EATON: COULD YOU TRY AND --
- MR. SMITH: WRAP IT UP?
- 24 CHAIRMAN EATON: YES. BECAUSE WE DO HAVE A QUITE LONG
- 25 AGENDA TODAY
- MR. SMITH: SURE.

- 1 CHAIRMAN EATON: -- AND THERE'S MANY PEOPLE WHO HAVE
- 2 TRAVELED FROM DIFFERENT JURISDICTIONS --
- 3 MR. SMITH: I COULD. I WAS HOPING TO DO IT WITH SNAPPY
- 4 GRAPHICS --
- 5 (THE PARTIES SIMULTANEOUSLY SPEAK.)
- 6 CHAIRMAN EATON: WELL, SNAPPY WORDS WOULD SUFFICE. YOU
- 7 KNOW? AND I KNOW A PICTURE'S WORTH A THOUSAND WORDS, BUT  $\mathbf{I}$ 'M NOT REALLY
- 8 SURE THAT THAT'S APPROPRIATE EITHER, SO.
- 9 MR. SMITH: OKAY. SO, I HAD A POINT THERE. OH, I KNOW WHAT
- 10 IT WAS. AMONG THE OTHER -- I'LL GIVE YOU SOME OTHER EXAMPLES. THERE
- 11 ARE OTHER OBJECTIONS THAT WE'VE RAISED WITH THE CONFORMITY OF THIS
- 12 PERMIT, WITH THE EIR AND WITH THE SITING ELEMENT.
- 13 BUT, IN FACT, THE AMENDMENT TO THE SITING ELEMENT
- 14 INCLUDES SOME REAL KEY REQUIREMENTS FOR A SITING THAT WERE NOT
- 15 CONSIDERED FOR THIS LANDFILL, AND ARE VERY APPROPRIATE TO THIS SITE AND
- 16 I'D LIKE TO SHOW YOU THOSE.
- 17 I DON'T KNOW IF YOU CAN READ IT, BUT THIS IS THE LAST
- 18 ADDENDUM TO THE COUNTY INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN. 1 SAYS THAT A
- 19 LANDFILL WON'T BE APPROVED IF IT IMPACTS AGRICULTURAL LANDS.
- 20 IT WON'T BE SITED (PHON) IF IT RESULTS IN A LOSS OF
- 21 NATURAL UPLAND HABITAT. NOW, UPLAND HABITAT'S IMPORTANT. THAT'S --
- 22 UPLAND FROM THE WETLANDS THAT YOU SAW THERE IS THE SLOPE OF THE
- 23 LANDFILL, OBVIOUSLY. LOSS OF NATIVE TREES, OR IN THIS CASE WE'VE GOT
- 24 GRASSES THAT THE FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE IS VERY CONCERNED ABOUT.
- <del>25 AND, BY THE WAY, HAS -- AND FOR THAT REASON AND OTHERS HAS </del>TOTALLY
- 26 REJECTED THE MITIGATION PLAN THAT'S BEEN SUBMITTED BY THE COUNTY, AND IS

- 1 REQUIRING A LOT OF CHANGES.
- 2 AND VISUAL QUALITY. OBVIOUSLY THIS IS A MASSIVE
- 3 LANDFILL, AND THE VISUAL QUALITY -- IF YOU'VE BEEN -- IF YOU DROVE IN
- 4 THROUGH THIS SLOUGH HOUSE AREA THERE'LL BE A TREMENDOUS AESTHETIC
- 5 IMPACT.
- 6 CULTURAL RESOURCES. THIS SLOUGH HOUSE AREA WAS ONE OF
- 7 THE OLDEST NATIVE AND EUROPEAN SETTLEMENTS IN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
- 8 IT HAS -- AND THE FARMING THERE IS HERITAGE FARMING THAT'S BEEN PASSED
- 9 DOWN THROUGH GENERATIONS FROM SOME OF THE ORIGINAL SETTLERS WHO BEAT THE
- 10 DONNER PARTY OVER HERE AND WENT BACK TO HELP SOME OF THEM. | THE SAME
- 11 FAMILIES CONTINUE TO FARM THERE, ALTHOUGH THE COUNTY IS TAIKING ABOUT
- 12 BUYING THEM OUT BECAUSE OF THE CONTAMINATION "BUFFER" NEEDS THAT THEY
- 13 HAVE.
- 14 I'M GOING TO SUBMIT THIS ADDENDUM. I DON'T KNOW IF
- 15 YOU HAVE IT FOR SURE, BUT I'D LIKE TO DO IT BECAUSE IT --
- 16 CHAIRMAN EATON: NO, THAT WOULD BE HELPFUL TO HUT IT IN AS
- 17 PART OF THE RECORD.
- 18 MR. SMITH: IT OBVIOUSLY CONFLICTS WITH THAT.
- 19 AND THEN THE FINAL -- THE POINT OF IT IS THAT THE
- 20 LOCAL TASK FORCE UNDER YOUR ACT, THE SOLID WASTE ADVISORY COMMITTEE IN
- 21 THIS COUNTY, IS REQUIRED TO REVIEW A SITING IF IT -- TO MAME SURE THAT
- 22 IT DOESN'T CONFLICT WITH THESE CRITERIA THEY ADOPT IN A PLAN. THAT
- 23 NEVER OCCURRED WITH KIEFER LANDFILL.
- 24 AND I GUESS IF WE HAVE TO CALL THIS EXPANSION NOT A
- <del>25 LANDFILL, OR, YOU KNOW, ITS LOCATION DOESN'T MATTER OR SOME</del>THING LIKE
- 26 THAT, YOU COULD DO THAT, BUT IT REALLY DEFEATS THE WHOLE PURPOSE OF

- 1 THESE PLANNING REQUIREMENTS. IF KIEFER'S NOT A NEW LANDFILL, IF IT
- 2 DOESN'T REQUIRE THIS KIND OF REVIEW, THEN WHAT THE HECK DOES? AND I
- 3 THINK IT'S YOUR ROLE TO REQUIRE THAT.
- 4 WE WANT TO URGE THAT YOU SEND THIS BACK TO THE LEA
- 5 WITH DIRECTIONS THAT IT BE PLACED IN CONFORMANCE WITH THE INTEGRATED
- 6 WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN.
- 7 THAT ANOTHER STEP THAT NEEDS TO BE TAKEN IS THAT THE
- 8 FIGURES FOR FINANCIAL ASSURANCE OF REASONABLY FORESEEABLE RELEASES BE
- 9 FINALIZED BY THE WATER BOARD BEFORE YOU SIGN OFF ON THE FINANCIAL
- 10 ASSURANCE MECHANISMS.
- 11 THAT ALSO YOU REQUIRE, BEFORE APPROVING THIS PERMIT,
- 12 THAT THE FISH AND WILDLIFE PERMITS FOR THE TAKE (PHON) BE APPROVED. AND
- 13 THOSE KIND OF THINGS CAN BE DONE WHEN IT'S SENT BACK TO THE LEA, AND
- 14 WE'RE RECOMMENDING THAT WE DO THAT.
- 15 CHAIRMAN EATON: THANK YOU VERY MUCH, MR. SMITH.
- 16 MEMBER JONES: MR. CHAIRMAN, I'VE GOT A FEW.
- 17 CHAIRMAN EATON: MR. JONES.
- 18 MEMBER JONES: THERE WAS A STATEMENT THAT YOU MADE, MR.
- 19 SMITH, THAT THE HIERARCHY THAT GOVERNS HOW WE ACT TALKS ABOUT REUSE AND
- 20 RECYCLING, AND THAT LANDFILLS ARE BAD. THAT IS NOT THE HIERARCHY OF THE
- 21 STATE, AS FAR AS THE STATE POLICY.
- 22 WE ARE HERE TO MAKE SURE THAT THERE IS SAFE DISPOSAL,
- 23 IT IS PART OF THE HIERARCHY. AND THAT SAFE DISPOSAL FALLS UNDER TITLE
- 24 27 STANDARDS, WHICH ARE -- AND 14 ADN 15 -- I MEAN, WE'VE HAD THEM ALL,
- <del>25 and we've gone along the lines to continually improve. thi</del>s landfill is
- 26 GOING TO BE BUILT TO THOSE STANDARDS, TO ENSURE PUBLIC HEALTH AND

- 1 SAFETY, AND ENVIRONMENTAL --
- 2 MR. SMITH: -- A TERRIBLE SITE.
- 3 MEMBER JONES: AND ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY, YOU KNOW, THE
- 4 ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY AT THAT SITE.
- 5 THE OTHER THING THAT YOU SAID IS THAT ON THE -- ON THE
- 6 IDEA THAT THERE ISN'T ENOUGH CLOSURE/POST-CLOSURE FUNDING FOR THE
- 7 POTENTIAL RELEASE OF POLLUTANTS, AND YOU SAY THAT EPA IS GOING TO
- 8 REQUIRE A SLURRY WALL OR --
- 9 MR. SMITH: NO, NO, NO, NO.
- 10 MEMBER JONES: -- MAYBE YOU'RE CALLING THAT WAIL --
- 11 (THE PARTIES SIMULTANEOUSLY SPEAK.)
- 12 MR. SMITH: -- CUT-OFF WALL.
- 13 MEMBER JONES: -- PREMISES THAT IT'S A \$50 MILLION FIX.
- MR. SMITH: YES.
- 15 MEMBER JONES: THAT'S ONE ALTERNATIVE OF MANY, INCLUDING THE
- 16 ONE THAT THEY'RE USING RIGHT NOW, WHICH PUMPS THE WATER OUT, TREATS IT,
- 17 AND THEN SENDS IT OFF. CORRECT?
- MR. SMITH: IT'S ONE ALTERNATIVE?
- 19 MEMBER JONES: YEAH.
- MR. SMITH: YES. YES, IT IS.
- 21 MEMBER JONES: OKAY.
- 22 MR. SMITH: IT IS. THERE'S -- ASIDE FROM THAT, THOUGH -- I
- 23 MEAN, WE CAN QUIBBLE OVER WHICH IS THE BEST WAY TO DO THINGS.
- 24 OBVIOUSLY, FIRST OF ALL, WE'D WANT THE BEST ONE IN THERE.
- 25 BUT ASIDE FROM THAT, THE FINAL FIGURES I MEAN, IT'S
- 26 EXPLICIT. THE WATER BOARD DOESN'T KNOW, AND THE PROPONENT HAS NOT

- 1 CONCLUDED, HOW MUCH WILL ACTUALLY BE NEEDED TO TAKE CARE OF THAT PROBLEM
- 2 OUT THERE.
- 3 MEMBER JONES: UNDERSTOOD. BUT I THINK THAT TO MAKE THE
- 4 ASSUMPTION IT'S GOING TO BE A \$50 MILLION FIX, THAT'S A WHOLE -- I JUST
- 5 WANTED MY OTHER BOARD MEMBERS TO UNDERSTAND THAT -- AND I KNOW THEY DO
- 6 UNDERSTAND, BUT JUST TO MAKE THEM AWARE FOR THE RECORD, THAT THAT IS
- 7 ONLY ONE OPTION, AND IT MIGHT BE THE OPTION THAT YOU PICKED --
- 8 MR. SMITH: NO, IT'S NOT EVEN --
- 9 MEMBER JONES: -- NOT NECESSARILY THE OPTION THAT A
- 10 REGULATORY AGENCY WOULD PICK.
- 11 MR. SMITH: RIGHT.
- 12 MEMBER JONES: AND I THINK THAT OUR PLANNING DOCUMENTS -- AS
- 13 I UNDERSTAND YOUR ARGUMENT, AND I MAY BE WRONG, WHEN YOU D $^{1}$ D THE SITING
- 14 ELEMENT AND ALL OF THOSE PLANNING DOCUMENTS IT INCLUDED THE WASTE OF
- 15 SACRAMENTO, THE CITY OF SACRAMENTO. CORRECT?
- 16 MR. SMITH: THE INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN?
- 17 MEMBER JONES: YEAH. YEAH.
- MR. SMITH: YES.
- 19 MEMBER JONES: OKAY. SO IF SOME OF THAT LEAVES THE IMPACT
- 20 IS EXACTLY WHAT?
- 21 MR. SMITH: NO, NO. NO, NO --
- 22 MEMBER JONES: I MEAN, BECAUSE THAT DOCUMENT IS --
- 23 (THE PARTIES SIMULTANEOUSLY SPEAK.)
- 24 MR. SMITH: IN FACT THAT'S NOT ACCURATE --
- 25 MEMBER JONES: -- TO DETERMINE
- MR. SMITH: IN FACT, THAT'S NOT ACCURATE. THE INTEGRATED

- 1 WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN DOES NOT CONTAIN A DESCRIPTION OF THE WASTE THAT
- 2 WILL BE GOING THERE. THERE'S A DESCRIPTION OF THE WASTE GENERATED BY
- 3 THE JURISDICTIONS IN THE COUNTY, AND THERE'S -- AND THAT'S IT. THERE'S
- 4 A FIGURE FOR THE WASTE THAT'S GENERATED IN THE COUNTY, THERE'S A
- 5 DESCRIPTION OF AN EXPANSION IN TERMS OF ACREAGE AND SO FORTH WITH NO
- 6 DISCUSSION OF WHAT TONNAGES AND WHERE THEY'LL COME FROM.
- 7 MEMBER JONES: OKAY. BECAUSE IF YOU LOOK AT -- AND WHEN WE
- 8 GOT BRIEFED I THINK I BROUGHT IT UP TO YOU -- THE FACT THAT SACRAMENTO
- 9 CITY MAY BE, YOU KNOW, LEAVING IS GERMANE. BUT THERE ARE HARTS OF THE
- 10 UNITED STATES WHERE LANDFILL RATES WENT UP OVER 200% IN CENTAIN AREAS,
- 11 144% FOR A WHOLE REGION. THAT MAY CHANGE THE ECONOMICS ENGUGH, IF THAT
- 12 WERE TO HAPPEN WHEREVER THIS DESTINATION WAS --
- 13 MR. SMITH: WELL, MR. JONES, THAT ARGUMENT IS -
- 14 (THE PARTIES SIMULTANEOUSLY SPEAK.)
- 15 MEMBER JONES: -- COME BACK.
- 16 MR. SMITH: -- SIMILAR TO ME TO THE YOU CAN NEVER HAVE
- 17 ENOUGH INSURANCE ONE THAT YOU'LL GIVE --
- 18 MEMBER JONES: ALL I'M TRYING TO TELL YOU IS, YOU BROUGHT UP
- 19 THE ARGUMENT ON ONE SIDE, AND THERE ARE ARGUMENTS ON BOTH SIDES --
- 20 MR. SMITH: WELL, IT GOES BACK TO A FUNDAMENTAL DIFFERENCE,
- 21 PERHAPS, THAT THE MORE LANDFILL THE BETTER, AND THAT THE STATE'S POLICY
- 22 IS TO MAKE MORE OF IT AS A PUBLIC INTEREST.
- 23 I THINK WE DO DISAGREE THAT, IN THE INTEREST OF THE
- 24 RESIDENTS, THE LESS LANDFILL WE HAVE TO BUILD THE BETTER. AND THAT'S --
- 25 I MEAN, WE MIGHT DIFFER ON THAT POLICY, BUT I THINK IF YOU D ASK MORE
- 26 PEOPLE THEY'D AGREE. SO.

- 1 MR. SMITH: ANY OTHER QUESTIONS?
- 2 CHAIRMAN EATON: ANYTHING ELSE? OKAY.
- 3 MR. SMITH: THANK YOU.
- 4 CHAIRMAN EATON: I HAVE ONE LAST SPEAKER SLIP, MR. RICH
- 5 OWINGS FROM THE SACRAMENTO COUNTY WHO DESIRES TO STILL SPEAK. THEN
- 6 WE'LL WRAP IT UP.
- 7 MR. OWINGS: MR. CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE BOARD, MY NAME
- 8 IS RICH OWINGS, I'M THE WASTE MANAGEMENT AND RECYCLING DIVISION CHIEF
- 9 FOR SACRAMENTO COUNTY, AND I WANTED TO QUICKLY RESPOND TO MEMBER
- 10 ROBERTI'S QUESTION ABOUT THE CITY OF SACRAMENTO AND THE TONNAGE.
- 11 THE CONTRACTUAL REQUIREMENT TO SEND TONNAGE THE CITY
- 12 IS CONSIDERING IS ONLY THE RESIDENTIAL TONNAGE, IT'S ONLY THE TONNAGE
- 13 THAT THE CITY COLLECTS WITH THEIR OWN MUNICIPAL TRUCKS. SO THAT AMOUNTS
- 14 TO ABOUT 150,000 TONS A YEAR THAT THEY BRING US IN THE CITY TRUCKS, AND
- 15 THAT'S LESS THAN 15%.
- 16 IF YOU'RE LOOKING AT PROPORTION TO POPULATION, YOU'RE
- 17 RIGHT, IT'S MORE LIKE A 30% POPULATION IN THE COUNTY, BUT THE CONTRACT
- 18 FOR OUT-OF-COUNTY HAULING IS ONLY FOR THE RESIDENTIAL. AND HOPEFULLY
- 19 THAT HELPS --
- 20 MEMBER ROBERTI: WELL, WHAT DOES THE CITY DO RIGHT NOW WITH
- 21 ITS COMMERCIAL?
- 22 MR. OWINGS: THE COMMERCIAL IS A FREE MARKET, PRICE
- 23 DETERMINES WHERE IT WILL GO. SO SOME MAY OR MAY NOT GO WITH THE -- OR
- 24 THE CITY'S CONTRACTUAL REQUIRED TONNAGE, IT WILL BE A FREE MARKET
- 25 SITUATION.
- 26 MEMBER ROBERTI: BUT -- OKAY, SO IT WILL BE A FREE MARKET

| 1   | SITUATION. BUT THE COMMERCIAL THE CITY RIGHT NOW HAS WELL, I             |
|-----|--|
| 2   | GUESS HAS THE RIGHT, BECAUSE THEY CONTRACT WITH THE COUNTY (INAUDIBLE;   |
| 3   | OFF-MIKE) IN KIEFER?   |
| 4   | MR. OWINGS: WELL, RIGHT NOW  |
| 5   | MEMBER ROBERTI: I UNDERSTAND THAT THEY DON'T TO IT.                      |
| 6   | MR. OWINGS: RIGHT, THEY THE CITY COULD FRANCHISE OR BID                  |
| 7   | OUT THE COMMERCIAL COLLECTION INSIDE THE CITY.                           |
| 8   | MEMBER ROBERTI: DOES ANY OF THE CITY'S COMMERCIAL GO INTO                |
| 9   | KIEFER RIGHT NOW?  |
| 10  | MR. OWINGS: ALL OF IT.   |
| 11  | MEMBER ROBERTI: ALL OF IT DOES?  |
| 12  | MR. OWINGS: YES, SIR.  |
| 13  | MEMBER ROBERTI: AND UNDER THE NEW ARRANGEMENT WITH THE                   |
| 14  | INDEPENDENTS, DEALING WITH THE COMMERCIAL, WILL ANY OF THAT COMMERCIAL - |
| 15  | - WILL THAT COMMERCIAL STILL BE GOING IN                                 |
| 16  | MR. OWINGS: IT WILL DEPEND ON THE MARKET, IT'S A FREE                    |
| 17  | COMMODITY, SO IT WOULD DEPEND ON PRICE. WHATEVER THE PRIVATE OPERATOR    |
| 18  | AT THE CITY'S PRIVATE TRANSFER STATION CHARGES VERSUS WHAT THE KIEFER    |
| 19  | LANDFILL TIPPING FEE IS AND THE HAULING COSTS.                           |
| 20  | MEMBER ROBERTI: IS KIEFER PROJECTING THAT ALL OF IT IS                   |
| 21  | GOING TO STILL IS THE COUNTY PROJECTING THAT ALL OF THE COMMERCIAL       |
| 22  | (INAUDIBLE; OFF-MIKE) STILL GOING TO BE GOING TO KIEFER?                 |
| 23  | MR. OWINGS: WORST CASE SITUATION?  |
| 24  | MEMBER ROBERTI: NO, ON THE DATE THAT YOU ARE GIVING                      |
| 0 = |  |

MR. OWINGS: WE REALLY DON'T KNOW

(THE PARTIES SIMULTANEOUSLY SPEAK.)

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- 1 MEMBER ROBERTI: -- DATES YOU'RE GIVING US RIGHT NOW, IS
- 2 THAT BASED ON A PROJECTION THAT ALL THE COMMERCIAL IS GOING TO KIEFER,
- 3 OR A PART OF IT, OR NONE OF IT?
- 4 MR. OWINGS: I BELIEVE THE NUMBERS THAT ARE IN THE
- 5 PROJECTIONS ARE ASSUMING THAT IT WILL ALL --
- 6 MEMBER ROBERTI: YES. I MEAN, THAT CONCERNS ME STILL A
- 7 LITTLE BIT, BECAUSE THE CITY OBVIOUSLY IS MOVING ITS RESIDENTIAL OUT OF
- 8 KIEFER. AND, YOU KNOW, GIVEN A SWITCH IN THE PRICES, IT MAY BE REMOVING
- 9 ITS COMMERCIAL AS WELL. I MEAN, THEY MAY HAVE A BETTER DEAL GOING
- 10 SOMEWHERE.
- 11 AND YOU'RE PROJECTING -- YOU'RE PROJECTING WHAT
- 12 APPEARS TO BE FULL COMMERCIAL AND FULL RESIDENTIAL AT THE MIEFER
- 13 LANDFILL.
- 14 MY OWN FEELINGS ARE LANDFILLS ARE NECESSARY, NO
- 15 QUESTION ABOUT IT. I MEAN, I WOULDN'T WANT ONE NEXT TO MY HOUSE, BUT
- 16 IT'S NECESSARY. BUT WE HAVE TO BE VERY GINGERLY (SIC) ON HOW WE LOCATE
- 17 THESE THINGS. I MEAN, THEY ARE IN LOVELY NEIGHBORHOODS SOMETIMES. THEY
- 18 ARE A CAUSE OF GREAT, ENORMOUS CONCERN FOR NEIGHBORHOODS. I MEAN,
- 19 THEY'RE NECESSARY EVILS. BUT, WE HAVE TO LOOK AT THE EVIL PART, TOO, AT
- 20 LEAST AS FAR AS THE PEOPLE WHO ARE IMPACTED.
- 21 AND I JUST THINK YOU'RE GIVING US A MAXIMUM POSITION,
- 22 BEST-CASE SCENARIO FOR THE COUNTY WITHOUT SOME RECOGNITION OF THE IMPACT
- 23 THIS HAS ON PEOPLE WHO ARE GOING TO BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED.
- 24 AND I GUESS YOU HAVE AN IDEA HOW I'M GOING TO CAST MY
- 25 ONE VOTE AT LEAST BECAUSE OF THAT.
- 26 THE CITY HAS MOVED OUT OF ITS RESIDENTIAL AND GIVEN

- 1 THE EBB AND FLOW OF PRICE MAY MOVE OUT ITS COMMERCIAL AS WELL. AND
- 2 YOU'RE BASING YOUR STATS THAT YOU'RE GIVING US, AND WE'VE HAD TO FIND
- 3 THIS OUT SORT OF LIKE PULLING TEETH BASED ON A MAXIMUM CITY
- 4 PARTICIPATION, YOU KNOW, GET AS MUCH GOOD. THAT'S WHAT MY ATTITUDE IS.
- 5 BUT THIS IS A DUMP WHICH IS LOCATED IN SOMEBODY'S
- 6 NEIGHBORHOOD IN A VERY NICE PART OF SACRAMENTO.
- 7 I WENT THERE AND I COMMEND THE COUNTY FOR ALL THE
- 8 AMELIORATION THAT ITS DONE AND THEY ARE STILL ASKING FOR MORE THAN THEY
- 9 NEED. THAT'S MY FEELING.
- 10 MR. OWINGS: ONE LAST POINT. WE AGREE WITH YOU, THAT WE
- 11 THINK THE MARKET WILL DETERMINE THE LENGTH OF THE KIEFER LANDFILL, IN
- 12 TERMS OF, YOU KNOW, HOW MANY YEARS IN THE FUTURE MUCH MORE THAN ANY
- 13 SOLID WASTE PLAN WILL.
- AND OUR BOARD HAS BEEN VERY CLEAR ABOUT THAT. WE HAVE
- 15 TO REPORT BACK IN 18 MONTHS, HAS THE MARKETPLACE CHANGED, DOES IT STILL
- 16 MAKE ANY SENSE TO KEEP THE KIEFER LANDFILL OPEN. AND THEN, AT A
- 17 MINIMUM, EVERY FIVE YEARS WE HAVE TO REPORT BACK.
- 18 SO, JUST BECAUSE THERE'S 660 ACRES APPROVED AND WE
- 19 TELL THE WORLD THIS COULD HAPPEN -- I THINK THAT'S THE FAIR THING TO DO
- 20 ALSO -- DOESN'T MEAN THAT ALL 35 YEARS OF CAPACITY WOULD BE USED.
- 21 THANK YOU, SIR.
- 22 CHAIRMAN EATON: ALL RIGHTY. ANY OTHER COMMENTS, QUESTIONS?
- 23 ALL RIGHTY.
- 24 MEMBER PENNINGTON: MR. CHAIRMAN?
- 25 CHAIRMAN EATON: MR. PENNINGTON.
- 26 MEMBER PENNINGTON: I DO HAVE A COMMENT.

- 1 CHAIRMAN EATON: SURE.
- 2 MEMBER PENNINGTON: I KNOW IT DOESN'T NECESSARILY BEAR ON
- 3 THE PERMIT ITSELF, BUT I DO HAVE TO COMMENT THAT I THINK THEY DON'T DO A
- 4 VERY GOOD LITTER CONTROL JOB. THAT YOU GO OUT GRANT LINE HOAD, AND
- 5 LITTER IS JUST STREWN UP AND DOWN THAT ROAD.
- AND I KNOW THEY SAY, WELL, MOST OF IT COMES OFF THE
- 7 SELF-HAUL THAT RUN DOWN THE ROAD, OR OFF OF THE OPEN TRUCKS. BUT OTHER
- 8 JURISDICTIONS HAVE THE SAME PROBLEM, THEY HAVE SELF-HAUL, THEY HAVE ALL
- 9 THE SAME THINGS, AND YOU CAN DRIVE DOWN TO THE ENTRANCE TO A LOT OF
- 10 LANDFILLS AND YOU DON'T ENCOUNTER THE KIND OF LITTER THAT YOU DO MOST OF
- 11 THE TIME AT KIEFER.
- 12 AND I WOULD ENCOURAGE THEM TO MAKE A SERIOUS EFFORT AT
- 13 TRYING TO GET A HANDLE ON THE PROBLEM. THAT THERE'S A LOT OF IT ON
- 14 JACKSON ROAD, BUT I TRAVEL GRANT LINE MOSTLY, AND FOR LITERALLY MILES
- 15 BEFORE YOU GET TO IT YOU ENCOUNTER A LOT OF LITTER.
- 16 AND I THINK IF THEY NEED MORE HELP ENFORGING IT THEN
- 17 YOU SHOULD GET THE SHERIFF OUT THERE, AND GET THE HIGHWAY HATROL OUT
- 18 THERE. THEY SHOULD HAVE THE 502 CLEANING THAT STUFF UP EVERY DAY. IT'S
- 19 AN EMBARRASSMENT, AND SO I'VE GOT TO RAISE IT.
- 20 CHAIRMAN EATON: THANK YOU. ALL RIGHTY. NEW ISSUES?
- 21 MEMBER JONES: MR. CHAIRMAN?
- 22 CHAIRMAN EATON: UM-HUM?
- 23 MEMBER JONES: FIRST-OFF, I AGREE WITH MR. PENNINGTON ON THE
- 24 LITTER. I DON'T THINK I'D LET ANY OF MINE GO LIKE THAT.
- 25 I MOVE ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION 1999-162.
- 26 CHAIRMAN EATON: ALL RIGHT. DO YOU HAVE A SECOND?

| 1  | MEMBER PENNINGTON: I'LL SECOND IT.   |
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| 2  | CHAIRMAN EATON: MR. JONES MOVES, AND MR. PENNINGTON  |
| 3  | SECONDS, THAT WE ADOPT RESOLUTION 1999-162.  |
| 4  | MADAM SECRETARY, WOULD YOU PLEASE CALL THE ROLL?   |
| 5  | THE SECRETARY: BOARD MEMBERS JONES?  |
| 6  | MEMBER JONES: AYE.   |
| 7  | THE SECRETARY: PENNINGTON?   |
| 8  | MEMBER PENNINGTON: AYE.  |
| 9  | THE SECRETARY: ROBERTI?  |
| 10   | MEMBER ROBERTI: NO.  |
| 11   | THE SECRETARY: CHAIRMAN EATON?   |
| 12   | CHAIRMAN EATON: AYE.   |
|  | MADAM COUNCEL COULD VOU DIEACE EVELATAL BOD MUE DUDITO   |
| 13   | MADAM COUNSEL, COULD YOU PLEASE EXPLAIN FOR THE PUBLIC   |
| 13   | RECORD THE OUTCOME OF THE VOTE AT THREE-TO-ONE, JUST FOR PURPOSES OF THE   |
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| 14<br>15<br>16                               | RECORD THE OUTCOME OF THE VOTE AT THREE-TO-ONE, JUST FOR PURPOSES OF THE TRANSCRIPT AND THE RECORD?  |
| 14<br>15<br>16                               | RECORD THE OUTCOME OF THE VOTE AT THREE-TO-ONE, JUST FOR PURPOSES OF THE TRANSCRIPT AND THE RECORD?  MS. TOBIAS: STATUTE OF THE PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE REQUIRES   |
| 14<br>15<br>16<br>17                         | RECORD THE OUTCOME OF THE VOTE AT THREE-TO-ONE, JUST FOR PURPOSES OF THE TRANSCRIPT AND THE RECORD?  MS. TOBIAS: STATUTE OF THE PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE REQUIRES THAT YOU HAVE FOUR AFFIRMATIVE VOTES FOR THE BOARD TO TAKE ANY ACTION.  |
| 14<br>15<br>16<br>17                         | RECORD THE OUTCOME OF THE VOTE AT THREE-TO-ONE, JUST FOR PURPOSES OF THE TRANSCRIPT AND THE RECORD?  MS. TOBIAS: STATUTE OF THE PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE REQUIRES  THAT YOU HAVE FOUR AFFIRMATIVE VOTES FOR THE BOARD TO TAKE ANY ACTION.  SO, WITH A THREE-TO-ONE VOTE THAT MEANS THAT THE PERMIT WILL BE APPROVED   |
| 14<br>15<br>16<br>17<br>18                   | RECORD THE OUTCOME OF THE VOTE AT THREE-TO-ONE, JUST FOR PURPOSES OF THE TRANSCRIPT AND THE RECORD?  MS. TOBIAS: STATUTE OF THE PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE REQUIRES  THAT YOU HAVE FOUR AFFIRMATIVE VOTES FOR THE BOARD TO TAKE ANY ACTION.  SO, WITH A THREE-TO-ONE VOTE THAT MEANS THAT THE PERMIT WILL BE APPROVED BY DEFAULT, AND WILL BE APPROVED IN 60 DAYS.  |
| 14<br>15<br>16<br>17<br>18<br>19<br>20       | RECORD THE OUTCOME OF THE VOTE AT THREE-TO-ONE, JUST FOR PURPOSES OF THE TRANSCRIPT AND THE RECORD?  MS. TOBIAS: STATUTE OF THE PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE REQUIRES  THAT YOU HAVE FOUR AFFIRMATIVE VOTES FOR THE BOARD TO TAKE ANY ACTION.  SO, WITH A THREE-TO-ONE VOTE THAT MEANS THAT THE PERMIT WILL BE APPROVED BY DEFAULT, AND WILL BE APPROVED IN 60 DAYS.  CHAIRMAN EATON: THANK YOU.  |
| 14<br>15<br>16<br>17<br>18<br>19<br>20<br>21 | RECORD THE OUTCOME OF THE VOTE AT THREE-TO-ONE, JUST FOR PURPOSES OF THE TRANSCRIPT AND THE RECORD?  MS. TOBIAS: STATUTE OF THE PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE REQUIRES  THAT YOU HAVE FOUR AFFIRMATIVE VOTES FOR THE BOARD TO TAKE ANY ACTION.  SO, WITH A THREE-TO-ONE VOTE THAT MEANS THAT THE PERMIT WILL BE APPROVED BY DEFAULT, AND WILL BE APPROVED IN 60 DAYS.  CHAIRMAN EATON: THANK YOU.  ALL RIGHTY. ITEM NO. C IS THE IN THE CONTINUING |

BACK AND WORK FOR A WHILE AND THEN TAKE A SHORT LUNCH HOUR. WE'VE GOT A

26 LONG AGENDA, I KNOW THERE ARE A LOT OF PEOPLE WHO HAVE COME HERE FROM

- 1 MANY PLACES, AND WE WANT TO MAKE SURE WE CAN TAKE CARE OF THAT.
- 2 ITEM C ON THE CONTINUING BUSINESS AGENDA IS A PUBLIC
- 3 HEARING FOR THE REVOCATION OF A MINOR WASTE TIRE PERMIT. THAT'S BEEN
- 4 PUBLICLY NOTICED FOR 2:00 P.M., SO WE'LL SKIP OVER THAT RIGHT NOW.
- 5 AGENDA ITEM D: CONSIDERATION OF APPROVAL OF RECYCLING MARKET
- 6 DEVELOPMENT REVOLVING LOAN PROGRAM APPLICATION FOR RANCHO DOS AMIGOS,
- 7 LLC
- 8 CHAIRMAN EATON: AND GO TO CONTINUING BUSINESS LETTER "D,"
- 9 CONSIDERING THE APPROVAL OF A RECYCLING MARKET DEVELOPMENT REVOLVING
- 10 LOAN INVOLVING RANCHO DOS AMIGOS, WHICH WAS PULLED FROM LAST WEEK'S
- 11 CONSIDERATION AND PUT BACK ON THE PACKET FOR THIS WEEK. MS. TRGOVCICH.
- 12 MS. TRGOVCICH: GOOD MORNING, CHAIRMAN EATON AND MEMBERS.
- 13 I'M CAREN TRGOVCICH, DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF THE WASTE PREVENTION AND MARKET
- 14 DEVELOPMENT DIVISION.
- AS YOU NOTED, THIS LOAN WAS ORIGINALLY PULLED FROM
- 16 LAST WEEK'S AGENDA AND CONTINUED TO TODAY IN ORDER THAT WE COULD DEVELOP
- 17 THE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING THE DIVERSION THAT WOULD OCCUR AS A
- 18 RESULT OF THE ENHANCED CASH FLOW TO THE BORROWER AS A RESULT OF THIS
- 19 LOAN.
- 20 DON TSUKIMURA WILL BE MAKING THE PRESENTATION. BILL
- 21 IRWIN, PRINCIPAL FOR THE BUSINESS, IS HERE AS WELL, AND WILL BE
- 22 PROVIDING SOME BRIEF COMMENTS TO THE BOARD.
- 23 I WOULD LIKE TO NOTE FOR THE RECORD THAT WE'VE
- 24 RECEIVED TWO LETTERS OF SUPPORT FOR THIS LOAN, ONE FROM RUBBISH CONTROL,
- 25 INC., AND THE OTHER IS FROM THE CITY OF OXNARD.
- 26 WHILE DON IS MAKING HIS PRESENTATION I WILL BE HANDING

- 1 OUT TO YOU A BRIEF MEMO SUMMARIZING THE KEY PROVISIONS OF  $exttt{1}\! ext{H}$ IS LOAN.
- 2 MR. TSUKIMURA: GOOD MORNING, MR. CHAIRMAN AND BOARD
- 3 MEMBERS. STAFF IS PLEASED TO INTRODUCE FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION RANCHO
- 4 DOS AMIGOS, LLC, WHICH IS LOCATED IN THE VENTURA COUNTY RMIZ.
- 5 THE LOAN AMOUNT REQUESTED IS 682,000, AND THE PURPOSE
- 6 IS TO PURCHASE EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY FOR GREEN WASTE PROJESSING
- 7 FACILITIES, AND REFINANCE EXISTING AND OF EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY.
- 8 A LITTLE BIT OF A BACKGROUND FIRST. THE RANCHO DOS
- 9 AMIGOS, LLC, IS OWNED AND MANAGED BY NELSON SOMERS, SR., AND BILL IRWIN,
- 10 AND IT WAS CREATED IN EARLY 1998 FOR THE PURPOSE OF OPERATING TWO GREEN
- 11 WASTE PROCESSING FACILITIES.
- 12 ONE IS CALLED RIVER HAWK RANCH AND IS LOCATED IN
- 13 FILLMORE, CALIFORNIA. IT'S PRIMARY FUNCTION IS TO TAKE GREEN WASTE FROM
- 14 THE SURROUNDING AREAS INCLUDING THE RANCH ITSELF, AND PRODUCE MULCH FOR
- 15 ITS OWN AGRICULTURAL USE. THE OTHER FACILITY IS CALLED OJAI VALLEY
- 16 ORGANICS, AND IS LOCATED IN OJAI, CALIFORNIA, ON LAND OWNED BY THE
- 17 COUNTY OF VENTURA.
- 18 BOTH FACILITIES ARE NOW OPERATIONAL AND TAKE GREEN
- 19 WASTE FROM VARIOUS AREAS OF VENTURA COUNTY AND DIVERT IT FROM LOCAL
- 20 LANDFILLS.
- 21 THE ELIGIBILITY FOR THIS PROJECT, UNDER THE CRITERIA
- 22 OF RECYCLING, IN THIS CASE THE MULCHING AND GRINDING OF A RECOVERED
- 23 MATERIAL CONSISTING OF GREEN WASTE AND WOOD DEBRIS.
- 24 THE FEEDSTOCK SOURCE FOR THE RIVER HAWK HANCH FACILITY
- <del>25 CONSISTS OF CONTRACTS WITH VARIOUS PUBLIC AND PRIVATE ENTIT</del>IES WHICH
- 26 SERVE THE CITY OF OXNARD AND PARTS OF VENTURA COUNTY.

- THE MATERIAL IS COLLECTED THROUGH CURBSIDE GREEN WASTE
- 2 PROGRAMS AND COMMERCIAL GREEN WASTE COLLECTION PROGRAMS. IOCAL
- 3 LANDSCAPE MAINTENANCE AND TREE MAINTENANCE FIRMS ALSO BRING IN GREEN
- 4 WASTE. THE OJAI VALLEY ORGANICS FACILITY RECEIVES MATERIAL WHICH IS
- 5 COLLECTED FROM RESIDENTIAL AND COMMERCIAL SITES IN THE SURFOUNDING AND
- 6 UNINCORPORATED AREAS OF VENTURA COUNTY. THERE IS ALSO A HIGH VOLUME
- 7 SELF-HAUL CUSTOMERS.
- 8 AND CURRENTLY THE COMBINED DIVERSION RATE FOR BOTH
- 9 FACILITIES IS PROJECTED AT 12,900 TONS PER YEAR. AND WITH THE APPROVAL
- 10 OF THE RMDZ LOAN THE APPLICANT WILL BE ABLE TO TAKE ON A NEW CONTRACT
- 11 WITH BLT ENTERPRISES OF OXNARD, WHICH WILL PROVIDE AN ADDITIONAL 32,000
- 12 TONS PER YEAR, BRINGING THE TOTAL PROJECTED DIVERSION TO 44,900 TONS.
- 13 THE PRODUCT IS A HIGH-QUALITY ORGANIC MUICH FOR USE IN
- 14 AGRICULTURAL LANDSCAPING AND HOME APPLICATIONS.
- 15 AND DUE TO THE ZONING COMPATIBILITY MATRIX OF VENTURA
- 16 COUNTY, THE APPLICANT CAN ONLY USE THE MULCH PRODUCED AT THE RIVER HAWK
- 17 RANCH ON THE ORCHARDS BELONGING TO THE BORROWER. THE MULCH PRODUCED AT
- 18 THE OJAI VALLEY ORGANICS SIDE IS SOLD OFF-SITE TO OTHER AGRICULTURALLY-
- 19 RELATED BUSINESSES, AND OTHER FARMING OPERATIONS IN THE AREA ALSO
- 20 PURCHASE LARGE QUANTITIES.
- 21 IN SUMMARY, WITH THE RMDZ LOAN PROCEEDS HANCHO DOS
- 22 AMIGOS WILL BE ABLE TO PURCHASE ADDITIONAL EQUIPMENT CONSISTING OF
- 23 LOADERS, SCREEN (PHON) PLANT, WATER TRUCK, WELDING EQUIPMENT, EQUIPMENT
- 24 WHICH IS VITAL TO HANDLE THE INCREASED VOLUME OF GREEN WASTE FROM
- 25 EXISTING CONTRACTS, AND ESPECIALLY DUE TO THE NEW CONTRACT WITH BLT
- 26 ENTERPRISES.

| 1  | IN APRIL THE LOAN COMMITTEE REVIEWED THE FINANCIAL                      |
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| 2  | MERITS OF THE PROJECT AND APPROVED THE APPLICANT'S ABILITY TO REPAY THE |
| 3  | LOAN.   |
| 4  | THE PROJECT MEETS THE BOARD'S ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA AND                  |
| 5  | SHOWS INCREASED DIVERSION, AS WELL AS A DEMONSTRATED ABILITY TO OF      |
| 6  | THE PRINCIPALS TO HELP DEVELOP AND EXPAND THE GREEN WASTE FECYCLING     |
| 7  | MARKET IN THE VENTURA RMDZ.   |
| 8  | THEREFORE, STAFF RECOMMENDS THIS LOAN FOR APPROVAL,                     |
| 9  | AND WE'D BE HAPPY TO ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS YOU MAY HAVE.                 |
| 10 | CHAIRMAN EATON: ANY QUESTIONS OF STAFF? OKAY.                           |
| 11 | MEMBER PENNINGTON: MR. CHAIRMAN?  |
| 12 | CHAIRMAN EATON: YES, MR. PENNINGTON?                                    |
| 13 | MEMBER PENNINGTON: I'LL MOVE ADOPTION OR                                |
| 14 | CHAIRMAN EATON: YEAH, I'M LOOKING, TOO, AS WELL.                        |
| 15 | MEMBER PENNINGTON: ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION 999-219, TO                   |
| 16 | APPROVE A LOAN IN THE AMOUNT OF \$682,000 TO RANCHO DOS AMIGOS.         |
| 17 | CHAIRMAN EATON: ALL RIGHT. SECOND? I'LL SECOND THE                      |
| 18 | MOTION.   |
| 19 | MR. PENNINGTON MOVES, AND MR. EATON SECONDS, THAT                       |
| 20 | 1999-219 BE ADOPTED.  |
| 21 | MADAM SECRETARY, PLEASE CALL THE ROLL.                                  |
| 22 | THE SECRETARY: BOARD MEMBERS JONES?                                     |
| 23 | MEMBER JONES: AYE.  |
| 24 | THE SECRETARY: PENNINGTON?  |
| 25 | MEMBER PENNINGTON: AYE.   |

THE SECRETARY: ROBERTI?

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- 1 MEMBER ROBERTI: NO.
- 2 THE SECRETARY: CHAIRMAN EATON?
- 3 CHAIRMAN EATON: AYE.
- 4 THE MOTION IS ADOPTED.
- 5 WE'RE NOW GOING TO TAKE A 10-MINUTE BREAK, AND THEN
- 6 WE'LL GIVE THE COURT REPORTER A FEW MINUTES, AND THEN WE'LL COME BACK
- 7 AND TRY AND HIT IT REAL HARD FOR 45 MINUTES TO AN HOUR AND THEN TAKE A
- 8 LUNCH BREAK, AND COME BACK FOR THE PUBLIC HEARING. AND THEN BE ABLE TO
- 9 GET OUT OF HERE AT A REASONABLE TIME FOR EVERYONE TO MAKE THEIR PREVIOUS
- 10 COMMITMENTS. THANK YOU.
- 11 (OFF THE RECORD; BRIEF RECESS.)
- 12 CHAIRMAN EATON: BACK IN SESSION.
- 13 MEMBER PENNINGTON: WHERE'S SENATOR ROBERTI?
- 14 CHAIRMAN EATON: MR. ROBERTI JUST HAD TO MAKE A CALL, HE'LL
- 15 BE HERE. AND I -- I SAID TO GO AHEAD.
- 16 VII. NEW BUSINESS AGENDA ITEMS
- 17 AGENDA ITEM 1: CONSIDERATION OF STAFF RECOMMENDATION TO CORRECT THE
- 18 BASE-YEAR DISPOSAL TONNAGE FOR THE PREVIOUSLY APPROVED SOUNCE REDUCTION
- 19 AND RECYCLING ELEMENT FOR THE CITY OF HALF MOON BAY, SAN MATEO COUNTY
- 20 CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY. ITEM NO. 1 IN TODAY'S REGULAR
- 21 AGENDA, CONSIDERATION OF STAFF RECOMMENDATION TO CORRECT THE BASE-YEAR
- 22 DISPOSAL TONNAGE FOR HALF MOON BAY.
- OKAY. I JUST REMIND EVERYONE, THERE ARE SPEAKER SLIPS
- 24 IN THE BACK. IF YOU WILL BRING THEM UP WE'LL GREATLY APPRECIATE IT, IF
- 25 YOU WOULD CARE TO SPEAK ON ANY ITEM. THANK YOU.
- MS. FRIEDMAN: GOOD MORNING, CHAIRMAN EATON AND BOARD

- 1 MEMBERS. BEFORE THE STAFF GIVE THEIR PRESENTATION I JUST HAVE A FEW
- 2 BRIEF COMMENTS I'D LIKE TO MAKE. FOR THE RECORD, I'M JUDY FRIEDMAN,
- 3 DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF THE DIVERSION PLANNING AND LOCAL ASSISTANCE DIVISION.
- 4 ITEMS 1 THROUGH 15 ON TODAY'S AGENDA ARE FOLLOW-UPS TO
- 5 DIRECTION PROVIDED TO STAFF THIS LAST MARCH WHEN WE PRESENTED AN
- 6 OVERVIEW OF HISTORY AND THE BOARD'S POLICY ON BASE-YEAR MEASUREMENT
- 7 ISSUES. AS YOU MAY RECALL, DURING THE ITEM IN MARCH WE REVIEWED SOME OF
- 8 THE CIRCUMSTANCES WHICH CONTRIBUTED TO JURISDICTIONS' BASE-YEAR
- 9 MEASUREMENT PROBLEMS, INCLUDING SUCH ISSUES AS UNDER-REPORTING AND
- 10 LIMITED ACCESS TO DATA.
- 11 IN THAT ITEM I WENT OVER THE FOUR TYPES OF METHODS TO
- 12 RESOLVE BASE-YEAR ISSUES. NAMELY, CORRECT EXISTING BASE-YEAR USING
- 13 HISTORICAL DOCUMENTATION, REPLACE EXISTING BASE-YEAR WITH NEW BASE-YEAR,
- 14 MEASURE GENERATION ANNUALLY, OR FORMER REGIONAL AGENCY FOR THOSE
- 15 SITUATIONS THAT DEAL WITH ALLOCATION AND THE BASE-YEAR.
- 16 I'D LIKE TO MAKE A DISTINCTION BETWEEN AN ITEM TO
- 17 CORRECT OR REPLACE A JURISDICTION'S BASE-YEAR AND THE BOARD'S BIENNIAL
- 18 REVIEW PROCESS WHICH THE BOARD HAS BEEN ENGAGED IN RECENTLY.
- 19 IN THE BIENNIAL REVIEW PROCESS WE ARE LOOKING AT A
- 20 JURISDICTION'S PROGRESS IN TWO WAYS: BOTH NUMERICALLY, THAT IS THE
- 21 PERCENT DIVERSION ACHIEVED, AND IN TERMS OF THE DIVERSION PROGRAMS
- 22 IMPLEMENTED. WHEN WE DON'T HAVE NUMBERS FOR A JURISDICTION WE CANNOT
- 23 COMPLETE THE BIENNIAL REVIEW PROCESS.
- 24 THE JURISDICTIONS BEFORE YOU TODAY HAVE NOT HAD A
- <del>25 Diennial review completed by the board because of the numbe</del>rs problems.
- 26 SO, IN OTHER WORDS, WE DON'T HAVE BOTH SIDES OF THE EQUATION, NUMBERS

- 1 PLUS PROGRAMS IMPLEMENTED.
- 2 PLEASE NOTE APPROVAL OF THE ITEMS TODAY DOES NOT
- 3 CONSTITUTE OR IMPLY APPROVAL OF THE BIENNIAL REVIEW. WE NEED TO PERFORM
- 4 THAT REVIEW LOOKING AT BOTH NUMBERS AND PROGRAMS, AND WOULD BE BRINGING
- 5 THOSE TO YOU AT A LATER DATE.
- ALL OF THE PERTINENT ITEMS ON TODAY'S AGENDA HAVE MET
- 7 THE BOARD'S POLICY ON BASE-YEAR ISSUES. ONE ITEM IS NOT A BASE-YEAR
- 8 CORRECTION. OF THE OTHERS, TWO ITEMS REPLACE THE BASE-YEAR WITH A NEW
- 9 BASE-YEAR, AND THE REST ARE CORRECTIONS TO THE EXISTING BASE-YEAR.
- 10 A COUPLE WORDS ON NEXT STEPS. IN MARCH THE BOARD
- 11 FURTHER DIRECTED STAFF THAT THE REMAINING JURISDICTIONS THAT HAVE NOT
- 12 AVAILED THEMSELVES OF THE BOARD'S POLICY FOR BASE-YEAR CORRECTIONS WOULD
- 13 BE NOTICED FOR A PUBLIC HEARING TO PLACE THEM ON A COMPLIANCE ORDER.
- 14 THIS HEARING IS ANTICIPATED FOR LATE SUMMER, AND THERE
- 15 ARE UP TO 125 JURISDICTIONS THAT COULD BE HEARD AT THAT TIME. HOWEVER,
- 16 WE DO ANTICIPATE THAT SOME JURISDICTIONS MAY SUBMIT REQUESTS TO CORRECT
- 17 OR REPLACE THEIR BASE-YEAR IN THE MEANWHILE. AND, PENDING YOUR
- 18 DIRECTION, STAFF COULD BRING THOSE FORWARD FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION
- 19 PROVIDED THEY MET THE POLICY.
- THIS CONCLUDES MY OVERVIEW. THERE ARE MANY
- 21 JURISDICTIONS THAT ARE HERE TODAY TO RESPOND AND TO PRESENT THEIR
- 22 INFORMATION, AND I WOULD ASK THAT THEY WOULD COME FORWARD AS THE ITEMS
- 23 ARE PRESENTED ONE BY ONE, SO THAT THEY CAN MEET -- RESPOND TO YOUR
- 24 QUESTIONS.
- 25 WITH THAT, I'D LIKE TO TURN THE PRESENTATION OVER TO
- 26 YASMIN SATTER, WITH THE OFFICE OF LOCAL ASSISTANCE, WHO WILL BE MAKING

- 1 THE PRESENTATION FOR THE FIRST TWO ITEMS.
- 2 CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY.
- 3 MS. SATTER: GOOD MORNING, MR. CHAIRMAN AND BOARD MEMBERS.
- 4 MY NAME IS YASMIN SATTER WITH THE OFFICE OF LOCAL ASSISTANCE. I AM HERE
- 5 TO PRESENT ITEM NO. 1 FOR THE CITY OF HALF MOON BAY, SAN MATEO COUNTY,
- 6 AND TO REQUEST A CORRECT TO THE CITY'S BASE-YEAR DISPOSAL AMOUNT.
- 7 THE CITY BELIEVES THAT IN ITS ORIGINAL JOINT SOLID
- 8 waste generation study the self-haul waste disposal amount allocated to
- 9 THE CITY WAS UNDERESTIMATED, AND ALSO SLUDGE WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE
- 10 BASE-YEAR DISPOSAL TONNAGE.
- 11 THE METHOD THEY USED TO INCREASE BASE-YEAR DISPOSAL IS
- 12 THE BOARD-APPROVED METHOD FROM THE LIST OF ACCEPTABLE BASE-YEAR REVISION
- 13 METHOD F-2A (PHON), PAGE SEVEN OF AGENDA ITEM 32. THIS METHOD ADDRESSES
- 14 THE PROBLEMS OF SPECIFIC WASTE GENERATORS' DISPOSAL TONNAGE BELIEVED TO
- 15 HAVE BEEN OMITTED IN SOLID WASTE GENERATION STUDY AND ALLOWS THE
- 16 JURISDICTION TO ADD IN OMITTED TONS BASED ON RELIABLE INFORMATION.
- 17 IN THE CITY'S ORIGINAL JOINT SOLID WASTE GENERATION STUDY
- 18 THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF WASTE HAULED BY THE FRANCHISE HAULER WAS BASED ON
- 19 SCALES RECORDS, AND THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF WASTE
- 20 DISPOSED AND HAULED BY FRANCHISED HAULER WAS DEEMED TO BE THE SELF-HAUL.
- 21 THE SELF-HAUL WASTE ALLOCATED TO THE CITY WAS 31% OF
- 22 THE TOTAL WASTE DISPOSED. THE DISPOSAL RECORDS FOR 1995, '96, AND '97
- 23 SHOWED THAT THE SELF-HAUL WASTE FOR THE CITY IS 62% OF THE TOTAL WASTE
- 24 DISPOSED, AS OPPOSED TO THE 31% ALLOCATED IN 1991 BASE-YEAR.
- <del>25 THE CITY HAS SIGNIFICANT AGRICULTURAL BUS</del>INESSES
- 26 WITHIN ITS BOUNDARIES, AND IS THE CLOSEST COMMUNITY TO THE OX MOUNTAIN

- 1 LANDFILL, THE SITE THAT IS THE PRIMARY DISPOSAL FACILITY. THESE FACTORS
- 2 CONTRIBUTE TO INCREASED SELF-HAUL DISPOSAL AMOUNT.
- 3 CORRECTION FOR SELF-HAUL AND ADDING THE SLUDGE (SIC) I
- 4 DISPOSAL INCREASES THE CITY'S BASE-YEAR DISPOSAL BY 11,053 TONS, AND
- 5 THEIR CALCULATED BASE-YEAR DIVERSION IS 7.2%. WITH THIS CORRECTION, THE
- 6 CITY'S 1999 DIVERSION WOULD BE 32%.
- 7 STAFF FEELS THE PROPOSED BASE-YEAR CHANGE IS WELL
- 8 DOCUMENTED AND RECOMMENDS THE APPROVAL.
- 9 THIS CONCLUDES MY PRESENTATION. MARK WHITE, THE
- 10 CONSULTANT FOR THE CITY, AND TERESE (PHON) SMITH, REPRESENTATIVE FOR THE
- 11 CITY, IS HERE TO ANSWER ANY QUESTION YOU MAY HAVE.
- 12 CHAIRMAN EATON: ANY QUESTIONS?
- 13 MEMBER JONES: I'LL WAIT TILL THEY START.
- 14 CHAIRMAN EATON: ALL RIGHT. I DON'T HAVE ANY SPEAKER SLIPS.
- 15 OH --
- 16 MR. WHITE: WE WERE HOPING TO BE INVITED BY YASMIN, SO WE
- 17 CAN DO THE SLIPS -- WOULD IT BE GOOD FOR THE RECORD --
- 18 CHAIRMAN EATON: YEAH, I WOULD APPRECIATE IT, JUST SO WE CAN
- 19 STATE IT FOR THE RECORD.
- 20 MR. WHITE: SURE, WE'LL --
- 21 CHAIRMAN EATON: BUT FOR THIS TIME WE HAVE -- JUST STATE
- 22 YOUR NAME, AND WE'LL --
- 23 MR. WHITE: CERTAINLY. MARK WHITE, I AM THE CONSULTANT THAT
- 24 PREPARED THE REQUEST FOR THE CITY OF HALF MOON BAY. TERESE SMITH, THE
- <del>25 Public Works director, is here with a letter from the chaid</del>person of the
- 26 SOLID WASTE ADVISORY COMMITTEE THAT WE WOULD ALSO LIKE TO READ INTO THE

- 1 RECORD.
- 2 I'D BE HAPPY TO RESPOND TO ANY QUESTIONS.
- 3 CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY.
- 4 MEMBER JONES: MR. CHAIRMAN.
- 5 CHAIRMAN EATON: MR. JONES.
- 6 MEMBER JONES: MR. WHITE, I'VE GOT A COUPLE OF QUESTIONS.
- 7 MR. WHITE: SURE.
- 8 MEMBER JONES: SIXTY-TWO PERCENT OF THE WASTE HAUL IS SELF-
- 9 HAUL WASTE --
- 10 MR. WHITE: THAT'S WHAT WE BELIEVE.
- 11 MEMBER JONES: -- IN HALF MOON BAY?
- 12 AND THAT WOULD BE CONSTRUCTION AND DEMOLITION AND
- 13 AGRICULTURAL WASTE, OR WHAT? I MEAN --
- 14 MR. WHITE: IT'S A MIX OF THINGS. IT'S THAT, HLUS THERE'S A
- 15 LOT OF WASTE HAUL DIRECTLY FROM THE CITY BY RESIDENCES AND BUSINESSES
- 16 BECAUSE IT IS SO CLOSE.
- 17 MEMBER JONES: TO OX MOUNTAIN.
- 18 MR. WHITE: TO OX. A LOT OF TRAFFIC IN OX.
- 19 MEMBER JONES: WHEN I LOOK AT THE PROGRAMS, YOU GUYS HAVE
- 20 CURBSIDE, AND YOU'VE GOT -- YOU DROPPED YOUR PROCUREMENT STUFF, IT LOOKS
- 21 LIKE, SO YOU'RE NOT BUYING RECYCLED.
- MR. WHITE: NO. WE'VE GOT AN ORDINANCE IN PROCESS NOW.
- 23 MEMBER JONES: THERE WERE CURBSIDE -- THE RESIDENTIAL DROP-
- 24 OFF TO BUY-BACK CENTERS, COMMERCIAL SITE PICK-UP, THOSE PROGRAMS ALL GET
- 25 TAKEN OVER TO SAN CARLOS
- MR. WHITE: CORRECT.

- 1 MEMBER JONES: -- TO YOUR FACILITY THERE?
- 2 BUT THE GREEN WASTE COLLECTION AND THE COMMERCIAL
- 3 GREEN WASTE PICK-UP, HAS THAT BEEN IMPLEMENTED YET OR IS THAT STILL IN -
- 4 -
- 5 MR. WHITE: YEAH, THAT WAS DONE IN 1997.
- 6 MEMBER JONES: SO YOU HAVE THOSE PROGRAMS.
- 7 MR. WHITE: CORRECT.
- 8 MEMBER JONES: AND THEN A COMPOSTING FACILITY'S WHERE?
- 9 MR. WHITE: THERE'S A MULCH FACILITY OUT AT THE LANDFILL.
- 10 THEY HAVEN'T YET MOVED INTO COMPOST, BUT EVERYTHING THEY GET IN THEY
- 11 SELL AS MUCH, SO.
- 12 MEMBER JONES: OKAY. BECAUSE WITH THESE NUMBER ADJUSTMENTS,
- 13 YOU GO TO 32% DIVERSION IN '95, BUT DOWN TO 10% IN '96. WHAT'S THE --
- 14 WHAT DO YOU THINK THE RATIONALE IS FOR THAT?
- 15 MR. WHITE: WELL, I WISH I KNEW WHAT THE RATIONALE WAS.
- 16 I'VE BEEN WORKING WITH TERESE AND OTHER MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL, THE
- 17 CITY, THE LOCAL SANITARY DISTRICT, TRYING TO IDENTIFY WHY WE HAD SUCH A
- 18 GREAT INCREASE IN THE WASTE DISPOSED BETWEEN '95 AND '96.
- 19 WE HAD A SIMILAR INCREASE IN THE AMOUNT OF SLUDGE THAT
- 20 THE SEWAGE TREATMENT PLANT HANDLED, AND WE ARE UNABLE TO IDENTIFY THE
- 21 REASON FOR THAT DELTA (PHON). BUT, WE'RE TAKING STEPS TO HEAT THE DELTA
- 22 DOWN COMING UP.
- 23 MEMBER JONES: OKAY. JUST SO YOU KNOW, AND EVERYBODY ELSE
- 24 IN THE ROOM KNOWS, I TOOK ALL OF THE TONNAGES AND ALL THE DIFFERENCES IN
- 25 TONNAGE, THE WASTE GENERATED AND THE POPULATIONS THAT YOU HAVE -- HAD IN
- 26 '95, AND DIVIDED -- TOOK THE WASTE GENERATION, DIVIDED IT BY THE

- 1 POPULATION, GOT US SO MANY TONS PER PERSON, PER YEAR. MULTIPLIED IT BY
- 2 2,000, DIVIDED IT BY 365 -- I'M DOING THIS SO IT GOES IN THE RECORD --
- 3 AND TO COME UP WITH A POUNDS-PER-DAY --
- 4 MR. WHITE: PER PERSON.
- 5 MEMBER JONES: PER PERSON. THE STATE AVERAGE IN 1990 FOR
- 6 THE POUNDS PER DAY GENERATED WAS 8.1 POUNDS. STATE AVERAGE. YOURS
- 7 COMES TO 12.5 POUNDS PER DAY.
- 8 MR. WHITE: UM-HUM.
- 9 MEMBER JONES: AND YOUR DIVERSION GOES TO 32% IN '95.
- 10 I'M WONDERING WHY WE'RE AT 12.5 POUNDS PHR PERSON.
- 11 MR. WHITE: I THINK SOME OF THE REASON IS THAT WE HAVE A
- 12 COMMUNITY OF 10,850 PEOPLE. WE GET 300,000 PEOPLE IN TOWN FOR ONE
- 13 WEEKEND IN OCTOBER, WE GET A HALF-MILLION PEOPLE IN TOWN ALL YEAR LONG
- 14 GOING TO BEACHES. AND SO WE HAVE A HUGE VISITOR POPULATION.
- AND, THAT DOESN'T EVEN TRY TO ESTIMATE THE GUYS JUST
- 16 COMING IN JUST TO GO SHOPPING IN HALF MOON BAY, WHICH HAPPENS QUITE A
- 17 BIT.
- 18 SO, WE HAVE THIS HUGE COMPONENT OF VISITORS THAT WE'VE
- 19 HAD SOME PROBLEM, CANDIDLY, ON THE STATE PARK SIDE, OF GETTING ANY WAY
- 20 TO ADDRESS THOSE. THOSE FOLKS DON'T HAVE RECYCLING PROGRAMS AT THE
- 21 STATE PARK EXCEPT FOR THE OFFICES. BUT, WE HAVE TAKEN ACTION TO GO
- 22 AFTER THOSE GUYS AS WELL WITH SOME MONEY TO BUY THEM SOME RECYCLING
- 23 CONTAINERS AND GET THAT MATERIAL HAULED OFF TO SAN CARLOS, AS WELL.
- 24 ON THE FESTIVALS -- AND I -- AND THAT'S JUST ONE
- 25 FESTIVAL I TOLD YOU, THE 300,000. WE HAVE FIVE FESTIVALS IN TOWN, ALL
- 26 OF WHICH GET SIGNIFICANT PARTICIPATION. NOT 300,000 PEOPLE, BUT THEY

- 1 GET A LOT.
- 2 WE'RE MOVING IN THAT AREA, GETTING SOME MONEY -- WE
- 3 ANTICIPATE SOME GRANT MONEY TO ENABLE US TO BETTER FOCUS OUR PUBLIC
- 4 INFORMATION PROGRAM, ON GETTING PEOPLE TO PUT THE RECYCLABIES INTO THE
- 5 RECYCLABLE CONTAINER THAT'S IMMEDIATELY ADJACENT TO THE LITTER
- 6 CONTAINER.
- 7 WE WANT TO DO SOME WASTE AUDITS ON THOSE TWO
- 8 CONTAINERS AFTER THE FESTIVAL AND FIND OUT WHAT WE HAVE, AND WE WANT TO
- 9 REFOCUS OUR PUBLIC INFORMATION PROGRAMS AGAIN AND DO THE WASTE AUDITS
- 10 AGAIN.
- 11 WE THINK THAT WE HAVE A HUGE OPPORTUNITY IN OUR
- 12 DIVERSION FROM OUR VISITORS, AND WE THINK WE'RE TAKING REASONABLE STEPS
- 13 TO ADDRESS THAT.
- 14 TWO OTHER AREAS, THOUGH, THAT I THINK ACCOUNT FOR SOME
- 15 OF THAT -- I DID THE SAME MATH, MR. JONES, AS YOU DID, ONLY I JUST DID
- 16 THE TONS. YOU KNOW, WE'RE LIKE AT TWO TONS A PERSON A YEAR. MOST FOLKS
- 17 ARE ONE. SO, WE'RE UP THERE A LONG WAYS AND I JUST COULDN'T SEE IT.
- 18 YOU LOOK OUT THERE, THE RECYCLING BINS OF THE
- 19 RESIDENTS IS PRETTY FULL, THEY'VE GOT A PROGRAM, THEY'VE HAD IT, THEY'VE
- 20 BEEN PARTICIPATING.
- 21 WE DID A RATE INCREASE IN DECEMBER OF '98, WE GOT SOME
- 22 REAL INTEREST FROM THE BUSINESSES. YOU KNOW, SOME OF THOSE BUSINESS
- 23 RATES WENT UP 124%. WHERE BFI, WHEN THEY CAME AROUND TO SELL COMMERCIAL
- 24 RECYCLING WAS GETTING, YEAH, YOU'RE NICE GUYS, THEY'RE NOW GETTING WHEN
- <del>25 can you be here with the bins. so, things are cooking big</del>time in that
- 26 AREA.

2 WE DIDN'T EVEN KNOW WAS OUT THERE DOING IT THAT SOON WILL HAVE A CITY
3 PERMIT TO DO PROBABLY 7,000 TONS OF C&D HERE. PLUS, WE'VE GOT A HUGE
4 AMOUNT OF CONSTRUCTION COMING DOWN THE PIKE.

THEY'RE COOKING IN THE C&D AREA. WE'VE GOT A GUY THAT

- 5 SO, WE'RE POISED TO MEET AN INCREDIBLE INCREASE AGAIN
- 6 IN DISPOSAL IF WE WEREN'T DOING THESE PROGRAMS. BUT, WE'RE POISED TO
- 7 MEET THAT INCREASE IN DISPOSAL.
- 8 SO, A VERY LONG ANSWER TO A VERY STRAIGHTFORWARD,
- 9 SIMPLE QUESTION IS, WE THINK WE HAVE A HUGE IMPACT MAINLY FROM THE
- 10 VISITOR POPULATION THAT GETS OUR NUMBERS UP THAT HIGH.
- 11 MEMBER JONES: WITH REGARD TO -- BUT THEY'RE NOT SELF-
- 12 HAULING THAT GARBAGE OUT.
- 13 MR. WHITE: NO, NO, THEY'RE NOT. THAT'S GOING OUT WITH --
- 14 MEMBER JONES: SO WHAT FIGURES DO YOU BASE YOUR SELF-HAUL
- 15 FIGURES ON?

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- 16 THE BOARD --
- MR. WHITE: OH --
- 18 MEMBER JONES: -- JUST TO CORRECT.... THE METHODS THAT WERE
- 19 APPROVED BY THE BOARD ARE METHODS. BECAUSE YOU USE ONE OF THE METHODS
- 20 DOES NOT GUARANTEE THE RESULT BECAUSE THERE NEEDS TO BE SUBSTANTIAL
- 21 BACKUP, THEY WERE APPROVED METHODS, THEY WERE DEFAULT METHODS. AND THE
- 22 BOARD'S OBLIGATION WAS TO GO BEHIND TO FIND OUT WHETHER OR NOT THE
- 23 RESULT REACHED BY USING ONE OF THESE METHODS IS SUFFICIENT TO FORM A
- 24 REASONABLE BASIS FOR SAYING THAT THEY'RE ACCURATE.
- 25 SO, IF YOU -- WHAT FIGURES DO YOU BASE THE SELF-HAUL
- 26 ON? WHAT BACK-UP DOCUMENTATION DOES THE CITY HAVE?

- 1 MR. WHITE: WE HAVE DOCUMENTATION THAT WE GET FROM DAILY
- 2 RECORDS THAT BFI TAKES, SELF-HAUL GOING INTO THE LANDFILL. | THEY DO
- 3 QUARTERLY REPORTS TO THE COUNTY, AND THE WAY -- WE ARRIVED AT THIS,
- 4 REALLY, USING THE INITIAL WAY THAT THE SELF-HAUL WAS DETERMINED IN 1990,
- 5 AND THEN LOOKING AT THE WAY SELF-HAUL IS ACTUALLY MEASURED TODAY.
- 6 BECAUSE IN 1990 -- PARDON ME, '91, IT WAS DETERMINED,
- 7 IT WAS EXTRAPOLATED FROM A WASTE GENERATION STUDY DONE FOR -- I BELIEVE
- 8 IT WAS 21 JURISDICTIONS, THE SMALLEST -- ONE OF THE SMALLEST OF WHICH IS
- 9 HALF MOON BAY. ALSO THE CLOSEST TO THE LANDFILL. THEY DID THAT, AND
- 10 ALL THESE BIG GUYS, REDWOOD CITY AND THE OTHERS, EVERYBODY CAME UP WITH
- 11 AN AVERAGE OF 31% SELF-HAUL, SO EVERY ONE OF THE JURISDICTIONS GOT 31%
- 12 OF THE SELF-HAUL, WITH NO ATTEMPT WHATSOEVER TO MEASURE THE ACTUAL SELF-
- 13 HAUL FROM ANY ONE OF THOSE 21 JURISDICTIONS. WHICH, AT THAT TIME MAY
- 14 HAVE BEEN A FAIR WAY TO DO IT.
- 15 WHAT I DID WAS TO GO BACK AND LOOK AT THE ONLY
- 16 FRANCHISED HAULER WE HAVE IN TOWN, WHICH IS BFI. WE KNOW WHAT BFI'S
- 17 TONS ARE, HE MEASURES HIS TRUCK GOING ACROSS THE SCALES. WE ALSO KNOW
- 18 WHAT THE TOTAL TONNAGE IS IN '95, '96 AND '97 ATTRIBUTED TO THE CITY OF
- 19 HALF MOON BAY, THE VAST MAJORITY OF WHICH IS RIGHT THERE AT OX MOUNTAIN.
- 20 I JUST TOO THE PERCENTAGE THAT BFI WAS OF THE TOTAL
- 21 TONNAGE FOR THOSE THREE LATE YEARS, '95 AND '96 AND '97, AND I SAID,
- 22 WELL, WHAT CHANGES -- AND THAT CAME UP TO, WHAT 62% I BELIEVE IT IS.
- AND THEN WE SAID, WELL, WHAT CHANGES HAVE OCCURRED IN
- 24 THIS TOWN THAT WOULD HAVE IMPACTED SELF-HAUL TO CAUSE IT TO GROW TO THAT
- 25 SIZE SINCE '91. IN ESSENCE, THERE REALLY HAVEN'T BEEN ANY CHANGES.
- 26 THERE'S BEEN A VERY SMALL INCREASE IN POPULATION, A VERY SMALL INCREASE

- 1 IN THE NUMBER OF BUSINESSES.
- 2 SO, TO ME THEN, IT SAID, WELL, IN '91 WHEN THEY
- 3 ASSESSED IT WITH 21 COMMUNITIES, US BEING THE SMALL PEANUT IN THE
- 4 BARREL, IT REALLY HAD NO RELATIONSHIP AT ALL TO WHAT OUR SELF-HAUL WAS
- 5 THEN. OUR SELF-HAUL THEN SHOULD BE MORE LIKE WHAT IT IS ON THE AVERAGE
- 6 OF THESE THREE YEARS TODAY. THAT'S HOW I CAME UP WITH THAT NUMBER.
- 7 MEMBER JONES: MR. CHAIRMAN?
- 8 CHAIRMAN EATON: MR. JONES.
- 9 MEMBER JONES: JUST ANOTHER FOLLOW-UP QUESTION.
- 10 IN '91 -- '90-91-92, IN THAT AREA, I'M ASSUMING THAT A
- 11 LOT OF THE MATERIAL THAT YOU'RE CALLING SELF-HAUL IS GOING TO BE
- 12 CONSTRUCTION AND DEMOLITION WASTE?
- 13 MR. WHITE: I HAVE NO IDEA WHAT THE CHARACTER WAS AT THAT
- 14 TIME.
- 15 MEMBER JONES: NO, NOW. THAT HOW YOU GOT TO 62%, WHAT
- 16 PORTION OF THAT DO YOU THINK WAS C&D?
- 17 MR. WHITE: OH, GEE, A LOT OF IT'S DEBRIS BOXES.
- 18 MEMBER JONES: C&D?
- 19 MR. WHITE: YEAH. I THINK A LOT OF IT IS C&D.
- 20 MEMBER JONES: BECAUSE IF YOU REMEMBER, IN 1990 AND '91, THE
- 21 ECONOMY IN THE BAY AREA, AND THE GROWTH IN THE BAY AREA WAS ALMOST
- 22 COMPLETELY STAGNANT. THE BUILDING INDUSTRY WAS HURTING, THERE WEREN'T A
- 23 LOT OF DEBRIS BOXES BEING PUT OUT, I CAN ATTEST TO THAT. AND THAT HAD
- 24 AN IMPACT. BUT THAT'S REAL WASTE THAT WASN'T BEING GENERATED.
- 26 BUILDING HAS IMPROVED IN THE HALF MOON BAY AREA. CORRECT? I MEAN --

- 1 MR. WHITE: THERE HAVEN'T BEEN -- LET ME ASK TERESE SMITH, THE BUILDING -- THE PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR TO ANSWER THAT. 3 MS. SMITH: THE CITY'S HAD A RESIDENTIAL GROWTH LIMITATION ORDINANCE ON THE BOOKS NOW SINCE -- THE INITIATIVE PASSED IN '91. THE 4 5 ORDINANCE IMPLEMENTING THAT INITIATIVE PASSED IN AROUND '93 OR '94. GROWTH HAS BEEN AT ABOUT HALF-PERCENT A YEAR, IT'S BEEN VERY SLOW. 6 7 HOWEVER, WE HAVE 400 UNITS OF RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT FROM VESTING MAPS (PHON) THAT ARE GOING TO GO INTO CONSTRUCTION THIS 8 9 SUMMER, A 266-ROOM RITZ CARLTON HOTEL AND A NUMBER OF OTHER HOTEL PROJECTS. SO, WE'RE GOING TO SEE A SPIKE, ALTHOUGH OUR RESIDENTIAL 10 11 GROWTH HAS BEEN VERY SLOW, YOU KNOW, OVER THE PAST DECADE REALLY. ONE THING THAT'S REALLY INTERESTING TO NOTE, THOUGH, 12 13 IS WHILE WE HAVEN'T HAD RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT, IN THE LAST FIVE YEARS 14 WE'VE SEEN A 38% INCREASE IN TRAFFIC. OUR OCCUPANCY RATE ON HOTELS IS 15 AT 96%, HOTEL DEVELOPMENT'S RUNNING RAMPANT. SO, WE ARE SEEING A LOT 16 MORE VISITOR IMPACT, AND A LOT MORE BEACH IMPACT THAT MARK ALLUDED TO. 17 CHAIRMAN EATON: ANY OTHER QUESTIONS? 18 WHAT DOCUMENTATION HAVE WE GOT FOR FIGURES FROM STAFF 19 WITH REGARD TO THE SELF-HAUL? DO WE HAVE SLIPS, DO WE HAVE WEIGHT 20 SLIPS, DO WE HAVE JUST LETTERS, WHAT KIND OF -- WHAT IS THE BACK-UP DOCUMENTATION BY WHICH TO MAKE AN INFORMED DECISION. 21 22 MS. SATTER: I'VE SUPPLIED THE FIGURES FROM THE BFI, FROM 23 THE DIFFERENT TRANSFER STATIONS, ACTUAL DISPOSAL FROM SELF-HAUL. CHAIRMAN EATON: SO THEY'RE ESTIMATES? 24
- 26 CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY. ALL RIGHT, MR. JONES.

MS. SATTER: WE DON'T HAVE ACTUAL RECEIPTS.

- 1 MEMBER JONES: DID THE DISPOSAL REPORTING SYSTEM THAT
- 2 EVERYBODY'S GOT TO TURN IN VERY QUARTER OR WHATEVER BACK UP THE NUMBERS
- 3 AS FAR AS -- THAT YOU HAVE? BECAUSE THAT DOES -- THAT IS ACTUAL --
- 4 MS. SATTER: YES.
- 5 MEMBER JONES: SO THE DISPOSAL REPORTING SYSTEM NUMBERS THAT
- 6 CAME TO YOU BACKED UP THOSE TOTAL TONNAGES THAT THEY HAD REPORTED AS FAR
- 7 AS WHAT WAS BEING BROUGHT IN BY FRANCHISE AND SELF-HAUL?
- 8 MS. SATTER: YES.
- 9 MEMBER JONES: OKAY. THEY CORRESPONDED.
- MS. SATTER: RIGHT.
- 11 MEMBER JONES: OKAY.
- 12 CHAIRMAN EATON: WHAT WAS ALLOCATED FROM THE OTHER
- 13 INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE USING THE LANDFILL THERE? WHAT OTHER ALLOCATIONS
- 14 FOR SELF-HAUL, AS IT RELATED TO THE OTHER PARTS OF THE COUNTY THAT MAY
- 15 BE USING IT?
- 16 MS. SATTER: YOU MEAN THE OTHER JURISDICTIONS?
- 17 CHAIRMAN EATON: SURE. BECAUSE, OBVIOUSLY, THEY'RE NOT THE
- 18 ONLY JURISDICTION THAT'S USING IT. SO THE QUESTION THEN BECOMES, AT
- 19 WHAT POINT DO WE HAVE TO TRY AND TRACE THE BOUNCING BALL TO FIND OUT
- 20 WHERE --
- MS. SATTER: WELL, RIGHT NOW --
- 22 CHAIRMAN EATON: -- SO WE'RE NOT DOUBLE-COUNTING. IF HE
- 23 GETS "X" PERCENT --
- 24 MS. SATTER: -- AROUND 20 MORE JURISDICTIONS THAT HAVE NOT
- 25 COME FORWARD YET.
- 26 CHAIRMAN EATON: IN THAT SURROUNDING AREA?

- 1 MS. SATTER: RIGHT. WITH SAN MATEO COUNTY.
- 2 CHAIRMAN EATON: SO IT'S POSSIBLE THAT WE COULD WIND UP WITH
- 3 A SITUATION WHERE WE COULD ALLOCATE OVER 100%.
- 4 MS. SATTER: WELL, RIGHT NOW WHAT WE LOOKED AT IT, WHAT WAS
- 5 DISPOSED IN 1990 AND WHAT THEY HAD -- WHAT THE JURISDICTION HAD SHOWN
- 6 US, AND WHAT THEY HAD -- THE RECORDS SHOWING WHAT THE FEE WAS PAID, SO
- 7 I'M TRYING TO STAY IN THAT BOUNDARY, NOT LET THE TONNAGE GO OVER.
- 8 BUT RIGHT NOW ONLY TWO JURISDICTIONS HAVE COME FORWARD
- 9 WITH THE BASE-YEAR CHANGES. AND SINCE THE REGULATION ALLOWS US TO USING
- 10 THAT BOARD-APPROVED METHODOLOGY ADJUST THE BASE-YEAR. AND THERE ARE A
- 11 FEW MORE JURISDICTIONS WILL BE COMING FORWARD WITH THEIR BASE-YEAR
- 12 CHANGES, AND WE WILL LOOK AT IN TO AS THEY BRING THEIR ISSUES TO US.
- MEMBER JONES: MR. CHAIRMAN?
- 14 CHAIRMAN EATON: MR. JONES.
- 15 MEMBER JONES: I THINK WHAT YOU'RE SAYING IS LIKE THE SAME
- 16 THING WITH THE L.A. COUNTY FIX.
- 17 IF EVERYBODY WAS GOING TO BE GIVEN 31%, AS FAR AS SELF-HAUL,
- 18 AND NOW THEY'RE GOING TO TAKE 62%, WHO WANTS TO LOSE? WHICH OF THOSE
- 19 JURISDICTIONS IS GOING TO GO FROM 31% DOWN TO 20? WHICH THREE?
- 20 AND I NEED TO SAY SOMETHING HERE. I DON'T WANT STAFF
- 21 TO FEEL AT ALL LIKE WE ARE PICKING ON YOU. THIS IS CRITICAL TO AB 939.
- 22 EVERYBODY IN THE ROOM NEEDS TO UNDERSTAND THAT THIS IS THE BASIS OF A
- 23 LEGISLATION AND INVESTMENT IN TIME AND EFFORT, AND FOR US TO MAKE A
- 24 MISTAKE AS POLICY-MAKERS HERE TO DO A QUICK FIX DOES NOT DO A SERVICE TO
- 25 ANYBODY IN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
- 26 NOW, I -- SAYING THAT -- I MEAN, I'VE GOT A LOT OF

- 1 QUESTIONS AS WE GO THROUGH THESE. AND VERY HONESTLY, I'M NOT IN A MODE
- 2 RIGHT NOW, OTHER THAN FOUR OR FIVE OF THESE THAT I MAY CONSIDER BEING
- 3 PRETTY CLOSE.
- 4 BUT MR. EATON'S GOT A POINT. I MEAN, WE HAVE TO HAVE
- 5 A PLAN. IF THEY'RE GOING TO TAKE 62% OF THAT SELF-HAUL WASTE OUT OF SAN
- 6 MATEO COUNTY WHO GETS TO LOSE IT? BECAUSE WE CAN'T COME UP TO OVER A
- 7 HUNDRED PERCENT OF THE TONNAGE.
- 8 AND I -- YOU KNOW, I'M NOT SO SURE THAT WE DON'T -- WE
- 9 DON'T KIND OF OWE IT TO OURSELVES TO GO THROUGH THESE THINGS AND MAYBE
- 10 NOT MAKE A DECISION UNTIL WE GET A FEEL, AS THESE QUESTIONS COME OUT,
- 11 WHERE WE NEED TO REALLY FOCUS THIS THING. I MEAN, AS FAR AS SOME OF THE
- 12 RECONCILIATIONS. MAYBE NOT. I MEAN, THAT'S JUST THIS BOARD MEMBER'S
- 13 POINT OF VIEW, THAT THIS MAY HAVE COST SOME CITIES A LOT OF MONEY TO FLY
- 14 UP HERE. BUT THE OUTCOME HAS TO BE THAT WE FEEL COMFORTABLE. BECAUSE I
- 15 DON'T WHEN I SEE CERTAIN JURISDICTIONS GOING FROM 4% TO 40% WITH NO
- 16 PROGRAMS, BECAUSE THE BASE-YEAR GOT CHANGED.
- MS. SATTER: EXCUSE ME. I JUST WANTED TO CLARIFY THAT 62%.
- 18 THIS IS THE 62% OF THE TOTAL WASTE DISPOSED BY HALF MOON HAY, IT'S NOT
- 19 THE ENTIRE BASE DISPOSED.
- 20 MEMBER JONES: I UNDERSTAND THAT. BUT IN 1990 THEIR TOTAL
- 21 WASTE DISPOSED WAS -- OR, '91, WAS 10,997 TONS, AND TODAY THEY'RE COMING
- 22 FORWARD SAYING THAT THERE WAS SELF-HAUL WASTE THAT WASN'T IDENTIFIED,
- 23 AND NOW THAT TONNAGE THAT WAS REALLY DISPOSED IS 22,030 TONS.
- 24 AT OX MOUNTAIN THEY -- AND I UNDERSTAND HOW YOU
- <del>25 reconcile with doe (phon) to make sure it stayed within. b</del>ut we're
- 26 DEALING WITH ONE OUT OF 20 CITIES. YOU HAVE SAN BRUNO, SO YOU'VE GOT

- 1 TWO OUT OF 20. THERE'S STILL 18 OTHERS THAT MAY COME FORWARD AND SAY
- 2 THEIR BASE-YEARS ARE WRONG, AND, YOU KNOW, HOW DO WE KEEP 1T WITHIN THAT
- 3 BOE TONNAGE?
- 4 BECAUSE WE'VE JUST DOUBLED THEIR TONNAGE. WE'VE --
- 5 THEIR DISPOSAL TONNAGE HAS GONE UP 12,000 TONS. THAT MEANS SOMEBODY
- 6 ELSE'S HAS TO GO DOWN 12,000 TONS. AND I DON'T KNOW WHICH ONE OF THOSE
- 7 CITIES WANTS TO STEP UP AND SAY WE'LL TAKE THAT LOSS, YOU HNOW, IN
- 8 TONNAGE. BECAUSE AT SOME POINT THAT'S THE MATH.
- 9 MR. SCHIAVO: PAT SCHIAVO OF THE OFFICE OF LOCAL ASSISTANCE.
- 10 BECAUSE THIS IS THE BEGINNING OF THE PROCESS FOR THE
- 11 SAN MATEOS TO COME FORWARD WHAT WE NEED TO DO, AS YOU MENTIONED, IS
- 12 TRACK THEM MUCH AS WE DO L.A. COUNTY, IS TRACK HOW MUCH IS COMING OFF
- 13 THE TOP.
- 14 WHAT WE'VE SEEN IN A LOT OF JURISDICTIONS THROUGHOUT
- 15 THE STATE IS THAT VERY SMALL JURISDICTIONS GET IMPACTED SIGNIFICANTLY,
- 16 WHERE THE LARGER ONES COULD POSSIBLY DROP A LITTLE BIT THEY MAY NOT AT
- 17 ALL, AND THAT'S WHERE THE RECONCILIATION HAS TO COME IN TO PLAY.
- 18 BECAUSE THIS IS SO EARLY IN THE PROCESS WITH SAN MATEO
- 19 COUNTY WE'RE NOT SURE HOW THAT PLAYS OUT. BUT THEY'VE RECGINIZED OVER
- 20 THE LAST -- LONG PERIOD OF TIME THAT THEY HAVE A COUNTY-WIDE ALLOCATION
- 21 PROBLEM. AND BECAUSE THESE ARE COMING FORWARD FIRST, AGAIN, WE DON'T
- 22 KNOW HOW IT PLAYS OUT FOR THE REST OF THEM AND HOW IT BALANCES OUT.
- BUT IT DOES -- YOU KNOW, IT NEEDS TO TIE OUT TO THE BOE
- 24 FIGURES. I CAN'T, LIKE YOU MENTIONED, ADD OVER A HUNDRED MERCENT AND
- 25 THAT'S WHAT WE'RE FACING. BUT, BECAUSE THEY ARE SO SMALL IT CAN IMPACT
- 26 THEM TREMENDOUSLY. I JUST WANTED TO MENTION THAT.

- 1 CHAIRMAN EATON: BUT I THINK YOU'RE RIGHT, AND I THINK --
- 2 BUT, DOESN'T IT MAKE BETTER SENSE THEN, FROM A PUBLIC POLICY
- 3 PERSPECTIVE, THAT IF IT'S JUST THE BEGINNING THAT YOU GO BACK -- BECAUSE
- 4 THERE'S ANOTHER MISNOMER, AND I'M GOING TO PICK UP THE MANTRA OF MR.
- 5 JONES -- THESE ARE NOT OUR NUMBERS.
- AND IT MAY BE A METHOD BY WHICH WE'VE APPROVED, BUT
- 7 USING A METHOD DOESN'T GUARANTEE THE APPROVAL, NOR DOES IT GUARANTEE THE
- 8 25%, NOR DOES IT CERTIFICATION OF ANY 25%. BUT, THAT WE GO BACK AND SAY
- 9 AS A COUNTY, AS A JURISDICTION YOU HAVE A PROBLEM. WE'VE DONE THAT IN
- 10 LOS ANGELES AND SAID, NOW YOU HAVE TO, BEFORE YOU BRING ANYTHING FORWARD
- 11 HERE, RECONCILE THIS. THAT IS A VERY PRUDENT APPROACH AS OPPOSED TO A
- 12 PIECEMEAL APPROACH.
- 13 AND I THINK THAT'S WHERE, AT LEAST FROM MY
- 14 PERSPECTIVE, I'D RATHER GO OUT AND SAY YOU GUYS, YOU'VE GOT A PROBLEM
- 15 HERE, YOU KNOW, RECONCILE IT, YOU KNOW, WE CAN WORK WITH YOU BUT YOU'VE
- 16 GOT TO RECONCILE IT.
- 17 BECAUSE IF YOU HAVE -- I MEAN, I JUST KNOW THE COUNTY,
- 18 THAT PROBABLY A LOT OF THE SELF-HAUL IN SOME OF THE AREAS SURELY DOESN'T
- 19 AMOUNT TO WHAT'S THERE, THERE'S A GREATER POPULATION -- JUST BASED ON
- 20 POPULATION ALONE IN SOME OF THOSE OTHER JURISDICTIONS YOU'RE GOING TO
- 21 HAVE A GREATER NUMBER. AND IF YOU GET TO IT AT THE END....
- 22 I MEAN, WHAT WE'RE TRYING TO AVOID IS THE PEOPLE THAT
- 23 GET IN THE FRONT DOOR GET MORE THAN THOSE THAT GET IN AT THE END. SO
- 24 WHY NOT JUST SEND THEM BACK AND SAY YOU NEED TO SOLVE THAT PROBLEM, AS A
- 25 COUNTY, AS A JURISDICTION? I THINK THAT'S THE EASIEST METHOD TO TAKE
- 26 PLACE, AT LEAST WITH REGARD TO A LOT OF THESE ISSUES, FINE (PHON) IN THE

- 1 END.
- 2 AND THE OTHER THING I'D JUST LIKE TO SEE IS, WHERE
- 3 CURRENTLY IS HALF MOON BAY IN TERMS OF ITS DIVERSION RATE? WITHOUT THIS
- 4 FIX?
- 5 MEMBER ROBERTI: MR. CHAIRMAN, IF I CAN JUST ADD A LITTLE
- 6 SOMETHING, MAYBE A DIFFERENT PERSPECTIVE. I DON'T, FRANKLY, SEE HOW
- 7 WE'RE EVER GOING TO COME UP WITH ANYTHING THAT IS ANYTHING BUT AN
- 8 APPROXIMATION. WE'RE TALKING ABOUT SELF-HAUL AND OTHER KINDS OF
- 9 HAULING, AND DIVERSIONS OR LACK OF DIVERSIONS OF NINE YEARS AGO. I
- 10 MEAN, SO WE'RE RIGHT NOW GUESSING HOW MANY ANGELS DANCE ON THE HEAD OF A
- 11 PIN, AND IT'S NOT GOING TO GET ANY BETTER.
- 12 MY OWN PERSPECTIVE I THINK IS GOING TO BE, IS TO LET
- 13 THE COUNTIES SORT OF WORK OUT AMONGST THEMSELVES WHAT THE EQUITIES ARE,
- 14 AND IF THERE ARE ANY INEQUITIES INTRA-COUNTY THAT'S SOMETHING THE
- 15 COUNTY'S GOING TO HAVE TO FIGHT OUT. WHETHER HALF MOON BAY OR SAN
- 16 MATEO, YOU KNOW, IS GETTING THE BETTER BENEFIT OF THIS APPROXIMATION
- 17 THAT WE'RE ENGAGING IN, I DON'T THINK WE HAVE ANY CHOICE BUT TO LEAVE
- 18 THAT ONE TO THE COUNTY TO HAVE TO FIGHT OUT AMONGST THEMSELVES.
- 19 BECAUSE ANYTHING WE COME UP WITH AND ANYTHING THEY
- 20 COME UP WITH IS NOT GOING TO BE EXACT. THIS IS NOT GOING TO BE EXACT
- 21 SCIENCE. WE'RE TALKING ABOUT NINE YEARS PAST, AND WE'VE GOT TO SETTLE
- 22 THESE NUMBERS.
- 23 THE WORST THING IS NOW WE'RE ALMOST -- WE'RE GOING TO
- 24 BE IN THE YEAR 2000 AND WE'RE STILL -- STILL TRYING TO SETTLE BASE-YEAR
- <del>25 Diversion rate, what the real numbers are, for 1991. so th</del>e worst thing
- 26 IN MY MIND IS NOT GETTING OUR NUMBERS SETTLED.

- AND I UNDERSTAND EVERYTHING EVERYBODY'S SAYING, THESE
- 2 ARE APPROXIMATIONS, THEY ARE NOT PRECISE. THERE'S GOING TO BE AN
- 3 ELEMENT OF UNFAIRNESS. BUT IT IS ABSOLUTELY IMPOSSIBLE FOR US TO DO
- 4 ANYTHING THAT'S NOT GOING TO HAVE AN ELEMENT OF UNFAIRNESS. AND WE CAN
- 5 BE DITHERING AROUND AND STILL -- STILL NOT HAVE ANYTHING BETTER.
- 6 SO, IT'S GOING TO BE EACH COUNTY TO POLITICALLY AND
- 7 STATISTICALLY AND STRATEGICALLY WORK IT OUT AMONGST THEMSEIVES FROM MY
- 8 OWN PERSPECTIVE, SPEAKING FOR MYSELF, BECAUSE THAT'S THE BEST WE CAN DO.
- 9 AND IF HALF MOON BAY GETS THE BENEFIT VIS-A-VIS THE OTHER TOWNS, OR NOT
- 10 A BENEFIT, THAT'S SOMETHING THAT THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, OR WHOEVER
- 11 THE AUTHORITY IN THE -- IN SAN MATEO COUNTY'S GOING TO HAVE TO BE, OR
- 12 LOS ANGELES COUNTY, OR SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY, OR ANY OF THE OTHERS THAT
- 13 COME UP.
- BUT WE'RE -- WE'RE TRYING TO -- I MEAN, IT'S ALMOST
- 15 INCOMPREHENSIBLE TO ME -- I UNDERSTAND WHY AND, YOU KNOW -- THAT WE'RE
- 16 NOW IN THE YEAR 1999 TRYING TO DECIDE BASE-YEAR APPROXIMATIONS FROM
- 17 1991. THERE'S NO WAY WE'RE -- IT'S NEVER GOING TO HAPPEN NO MATTER HOW
- 18 LONG WE TAKE. IT'S GOING TO BE WRONG OR IMPRECISE --
- 19 CHAIRMAN EATON: AND I DON'T THINK --
- 20 MEMBER ROBERTI: -- SO, WHATEVER.
- 21 CHAIRMAN EATON: -- THAT THERE'S ANY OBJECTION TO THAT.
- 22 WHAT I'M SAYING IS THAT -- AND I CAN'T SPEAK FOR WHAT
- 23 TOOK PLACE BEFORE -- AND I CAN ONLY SPEAK FROM THE TIME I'M HERE. BUT I
- 24 CAN SAY, FOR INSTANCE, THAT WE HAVE AN AFFIRMATIVE OBLIGATION TO BE ABLE
- 25 TO AT LEAST COME UP WITH AS ACCURATE AS POSSIBLE -- I KNOW THESE NUMBERS
- 26 THAT ARE GOING TO BE THERE ARE GOING TO BE OFF.

- BUT, WHEN YOU HAVE A SITUATION WHERE COUNTIES HAVEN'T
- 2 EVEN IMPLEMENTED A PROGRAM TILL 1997 AND GET DIVERSION FOR THOSE
- 3 PROGRAMS BACK IN THE EARLY '90S IN ORDER TO GET THE 25%, I THINK THE
- 4 PUBLIC HAS THE RIGHT TO KNOW THAT HOW ARE WE COMING UP WITH THOSE
- 5 FIGURES.
- 6 AND I THINK THAT'S --
- 7 MEMBER ROBERTI: YEAH, AND I AGREE --
- 8 CHAIRMAN EATON: -- THE METHODOLOGY THAT I'M LOOKING AT HERE
- 9 IN THESE SITUATIONS. BECAUSE WE AT SOME POINT, AS THE CURNENT BOARD, AS
- 10 WE GO INTO THE NEXT PHASE, ARE GOING TO BE SAYING, OKAY, YOU'VE MOVED
- 11 FROM NO NUMBER OR ZERO TO 32% WITH NO PROGRAMS, AND YET WE'RE BANGING ON
- 12 OTHER JURISDICTIONS THAT HAVE PROGRAMS THAT GET TO 26 OR 27 -- I MEAN,
- 13 THERE ARE QUESTIONS OF CREDIBILITY.
- 14 MEMBER ROBERTI: AND I AGREE WITH YOU.
- 15 CHAIRMAN EATON: AND I THINK WE JUST NEED TO LAY A
- 16 DEMARCATION LINE --
- 17 MEMBER ROBERTI: I DON'T HAVE ANY DISAGREEMENT WITH YOU.
- 18 WHAT I AM TALKING ABOUT IS WHEN IT COMES WITHIN THE COUNTY AND WE'RE
- 19 TRYING TO BALANCE WHATEVER THE TOTAL DIVERSION RATE WE'RE TALKING ABOUT
- 20 WITHIN A COUNTY THAT MAY ADD UP TO MORE THAN A HUNDRED PERCENT, I DON'T
- 21 WANT THAT TO ADD UP TO MORE THAN A HUNDRED PERCENT. BUT HOW IT ADDS UP
- 22 WITHIN THAT COUNTY, THOSE ARE GOING -- THEY'RE GOING TO BE THEIR
- 23 STATISTICS. WE CAN'T DO A BETTER JOB THAN THE COUNTY CAN DO.
- 24 CHAIRMAN EATON: I AGREE. AND IT'S NOT OUR OBLIGATION TO DO
- 25 THAT.
- 26 MEMBER ROBERTI: AND NOR IS IT OUR OBLIGATION. AND I -- SO,

- 1 WHATEVER.
- 2 MEMBER JONES: MR. CHAIRMAN?
- 3 CHAIRMAN EATON: MR. JONES.
- 4 MEMBER JONES: SENATOR, YOU KNOW WHEN THIS -- WHEN THE LAW
- 5 WAS FIRST PASSED IT WAS PASSED ON THE BASIS OF COUNTING SOMETHING THAT
- 6 DIDN'T EXIST: HOW MUCH DID YOU DIVERT. AND WHEN THAT -- WHEN EVERYBODY
- 7 UNDERSTOOD THAT THAT WAS UNMANAGEABLE THEN IT WENT TO DISPOSAL-BASED.
- 8 THE NUMBERS THAT WERE CREATED ORIGINALLY -- OKAY? --
- 9 LOOKED NOTHING LIKE 12 POUNDS PER PERSON, LOOKED NOTHING LIKE 11 POUNDS
- 10 PER PERSON. THOSE JURISDICTIONS, THROUGH WHATEVER REASON, CAME UP WITH
- 11 WASTE GENERATION NUMBERS THAT KIND OF LOOKED LIKE THEY WOULD HAVE BEEN
- 12 AT SEVEN, AND THEY DROPPED DOWN TO TWO -- TO FIVE-POINT-THREE, WHICH WAS
- 13 THE -- A REAL GOOD NUMBER TO GET A 25%. AND THAT WAS HOW THE
- 14 METHODOLOGY WAS USED.
- 15 WHEN THE LEGISLATION CHANGED TO WHERE IT HAD TO BE
- 16 DISPOSAL COUNTING EVERYBODY THAT HAD UNDERESTIMATED THEIR TONNAGES SO
- 17 THAT THE -- BY A MISTAKE OR BY CHOICE, NOW WERE CAUGHT WITH A NUMBER
- 18 THAT COULDN'T RECONCILE AGAINST DISPOSAL BECAUSE THEY HAD HUT IT SO
- 19 CLOSE TO DISPOSAL THAT THEY CAN'T SHOW DIVERSION.
- 20 ONE THING I'M VERY, VERY WORRIED ABOUT IN HERE -- AND
- 21 I AGREE WITH YOU THAT IT NEEDS TO BE WITHIN A COUNTY -- BUT WE'VE GOT TO
- 22 MAKE SURE THAT THESE CITIES AND COUNTIES HAVE PROGRAMS. BECAUSE I THINK
- 23 THAT WAS THE INTENT OF THE LAW, WAS NOT ONLY TO DIVERT BUT TO CHANGE
- 24 HABITS. AND WHEN A CITY GOES TO 44% BECAUSE OF THIS NUMBER CHANGE, AND
- <del>25 HAS NO PROGRAMS, I DON'T THINK THAT IS THE INTENT OF THE LA</del>W,
- 26 IRREGARDLESS OF HOW THAT TONNAGE GETS DIVVIED UP WITHIN A COUNTY.

- 1 I'M LOOKING AT THE L.A. COUNTY FIX. AND WE'RE GOING
- 2 TO LOOK AT 23 CITIES TODAY WITHIN IT. WE'VE ALREADY ALLOCATED SOME
- 3 STUFF. AND WE'RE LOOKING AT DIVVYING UP 1,745,357 TONS TO THOSE 23
- 4 CITIES, LEAVING 2,662,000 TONS. BUT WE HAVE 65 CITIES LEFT THAT MAY OR
- 5 MAY NOT COME IN. IT'S THOSE LAST ONES THAT COME IN, IF THEY'RE LEGIT OR
- 6 NOT, THERE MAY NOT BE ANY TONNAGE LEFT. YOU KNOW? SO I THINK THAT
- 7 THAT'S AN ISSUE THAT PEOPLE NEED TO -- YOU KNOW, THAT WE NEED TO BE
- 8 AWARE OF.
- 9 AND I JUST WANT TO TIE THIS THING -- I DON'T KNOW HOW
- 10 MUCH -- YOU KNOW, HOW MUCH WASTE WAS GENERATED IN 1990, BUT I DO KNOW IF
- 11 THERE WERE NO PROGRAMS IN 1990 AND THERE ARE NO PROGRAMS TODAY YOU DON'T
- 12 GET TO 44% DIVERSION. I'M SORRY. IT JUST -- THAT'S NOT THE INTENT OF
- 13 THE LAW.
- 14 CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY. ANY OTHER QUESTIONS?
- 15 MEMBER ROBERTI: CAN I ASK MR. SCHIAVO A QUESTION?
- 16 CHAIRMAN EATON: PLEASE.
- 17 MEMBER ROBERTI: I UNDERSTAND THIS IS A CLOSED-LOOP SYSTEM.
- 18 I'M LEARNING A LOT NOW. THIS IS L.A. COUNTY, THAT'S SAN MATEO COUNTY,
- 19 BUT IT'S RELATED TO -- IT'S RELATED TO WHAT MR. JONES IS SAYING.
- 20 WHEN YOU HAVE THAT KIND OF SYSTEM THERE'S NOT GOING TO
- 21 BE A DOUBLE-COUNTING FOR THE COUNTY, IS THERE?
- MR. SCHIAVO: WE TRY TO --
- 23 MEMBER ROBERTI: IF THERE'S A DOUBLE-COUNTING THEN I'M --
- 24 I'M WITH MY COLLEAGUES THAT, YOU KNOW, WE'RE JUST GOING TO HAVE TO WAIT
- <del>25 SOME TIME AND FIGURE THIS ONE OUT. IF THERE'S NO DOUBLE CO</del>UNTING AND --
- 26 YOU KNOW, WITHIN THAT SYSTEM, YOU KNOW, SOMEBODY MAY GET A BENEFIT,

- 1 SOMEBODY MAY NOT GET A BENEFIT WITHIN THE COUNTY, THEN I DON'T KNOW HOW
- 2 MUCH BETTER WE CAN GET THIS.
- 3 MR. SCHIAVO: I SUPPOSE YOU CAN SAY THERE'S NEVER NO DOUBLE-
- 4 COUNTING, BUT OUR ATTEMPT IS TO MINIMIZE IT AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE. THAT
- 5 IS SOMETHING WE'RE COGNIZANT OF AND WE TRY TO ELIMINATE ANY DOUBLE-
- 6 COUNTING. BUT, I CAN'T SAY FOR CERTAIN THAT THERE'S NOT.
- 7 MEMBER ROBERTI: BUT THAT IS OUR GOAL, OUR OBJECTIVE --
- 8 MR. SCHIAVO: THAT'S OUR GOAL.
- 9 MEMBER ROBERTI: -- AND WE COULD PROBABLY -- AND WE COULD
- 10 PROBABLY -- AND AM I PUTTING WORDS IN YOUR MOUTH? -- WE COULD -- AND IF
- 11 WE DON'T ADOPT THESE NUMBERS -- WE COULD PROBABLY END UP WITH DOUBLE-
- 12 COUNTING WITH WHATEVER NUMBERS WE CAME UP WITH.
- 13 MR. SCHIAVO: YEAH, I WOULD -- IT'S A POSSIBILITY.
- 14 MEMBER ROBERTI: AND WHAT ABOUT SAN MATEO, WHAT KIND OF
- 15 SYSTEM ARE THEY ON?
- 16 MR. SCHIAVO: WHAT KIND OF SYSTEM? I'M SORRY?
- 17 MEMBER ROBERTI: ARE THEY ON A CLOSED -- A CLOSED-LOOP --
- 18 MR. SCHIAVO: A CLOSED -- I'M NOT -- YASMIN, DO YOU KNOW IF
- 19 THEY'RE PRETTY MUCH CLOSED WITH THEIR LANDFILL --
- 20 CHAIRMAN EATON: YOU SEE, YOU GO IN THE CITY OF L.A. WHO WE
- 21 WILL GET TO LATER, THEY'VE DONE A WASTE CHARACTERIZATION STUDY, SO
- 22 THEY'VE ELIMINATED A LOT OF THOSE KINDS OF FUDGE FACTORS, IF I CAN USE
- 23 THAT. AND SO WHAT THEY'VE DONE IS, THEY'VE SAID, YEAH, WE KNOW WHERE WE
- 24 ARE, WE KNOW, WE'VE BEEN, WE'VE LOOKED THERE, AND NOW THEY CAN PRESENT A
- 25 PLAN. AND THERE'S AND IN ADDITION THEY HAVE PROGRAMS.
- SO WHEN YOU SEE THE JUMP GO FROM 20 TO 30, OR TO 35 OR

| 1  | 40, THERE'S A BASIS BY WHICH THAT LEAP CAN AND YOU GET                   |
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| 2  | MEMBER ROBERTI: THERE'S A RATIONAL BASIS TO IT                           |
| 3  | (THE PARTIES SIMULTANEOUSLY SPEAK.)                                      |
| 4  | CHAIRMAN EATON: YOU GIVE EVERY REASONABLE INFERENCE.                     |
| 5  | MEMBER ROBERTI: YEAH.  |
| 6  | CHAIRMAN EATON: THAT'S WHERE WE ARE NOW, WHERE WE'RE GOING.              |
| 7  | THAT WAS ONE OF THE METHODS THAT THEY CHOSE.                             |
| 8  | DON'T FORGET, THE BOARD DID NOT CHOOSE THIS METHOD,                      |
| 9  | THEY WERE MADE THEMSELVES AFFORDED THE OPTION TO CHOOSE WHATEVER         |
| 10 | METHOD THEY WANTED TO, BUT THEY WERE SORT OF ALSO BUYER-BEWARE, THAT THE |
| 11 | OBLIGATION WAS, IS THAT THE RESULT THAT CAME ABOUT MAY NOT BE AS MR.     |
| 12 | JONES SAID WHERE YOU MOVE, HAVE NO PROBLEMS IN THE BEGINNING OF THE      |
| 13 | '90s, and then you still have no programs now and you moved to 44%. I    |
| 14 | MEAN, IT'S BETTER THAN HITTING THE LOTTERY.                              |
| 15 | MR. SCHIAVO: REGARDING THE   |
| 16 | MEMBER ROBERTI: LET ME ASK YOU   |
| 17 | MR. SCHIAVO: SURE.   |
| 18 | MEMBER ROBERTI: IN THE SAN MATEO COUNTY SITUATION, HOW -                 |
| 19 | - WHAT ARE INTERNAL MECHANISMS TO MAKE SURE NOT TO MAKE SURE THERE'S     |
| 20 | NO INEQUITY, BECAUSE I'M CONVINCED THIS IS NEVER GOING TO HAPPEN TO      |
| 21 | MAKE SURE THAT THERE'S NO DOUBLE-COUNTING?                               |
| 22 | MR. SCHIAVO: RIGHT. WE   |
| 23 | MEMBER ROBERTI: I SORT OF UNDERSTAND NOW THE I.A. SYSTEM                 |
| 24 | MR. SCHIAVO: RIGHT.  |
| 25 | MEMBER ROBERTI: IS THE OF THE COUNTY. HOW DO WE DO                       |

26 IT IN SAN MATEO?

1 MR. SCHIAVO: WE ATTEMPT TO DO THAT THROUGH THE BOE RECONCILIATION PROCESS THAT WE HAVE INTERNALLY --MEMBER ROBERTI: YEAH, WELL, YOU'VE GOT ME --3 (THE PARTIES SIMULTANEOUSLY SPEAK.) 4 5 MEMBER ROBERTI: -- IS BOE? MR. SCHIAVO: BOARD OF EQUALIZATION. 6 MEMBER ROBERTI: OH, BOARD OF EQUALIZATION. YEAH, WELL, HOW ABOUT THAT? OKAY. 8 MR. SCHIAVO: OKAY. AND SO WE DO MAKE THAT ATTEMPT THROUGH 9 10 OUR INPUTS AND QUESTIONING OF SAN MATEO. AND WHAT WE'VE FOUND IS THAT THERE ARE A LOT OF ALLOCATION ERRORS THROUGHOUT THE COUNTY, AND BECAUSE 11 OF THAT WE FOUND IT WAS A COUNTYWIDE ISSUE. 12 13 AS FAR AS BEING CLOSED-LOOPED, MARK WHITE MAY BE 14 BETTER ABLE TO HANDLE THAT. DOES ALL THE DISPOSAL IN THE COUNTY GO TO -15 - CAN YOU --16 MR. WHITE: I THINK THE VAST MAJORITY ENDS UP AT OX 17 MOUNTAIN, WITH SOME AT ANOTHER LANDFILL WITHIN THE COUNTY. BUT THERE IS 18 SOME SPILLING OUT, OUTSIDE THE COUNTY, TO SANTA CLARA AND OTHERS. 19 MEMBER JONES: I'M NOT TRYING TO BEAT YOU UP, MARK. ACTUALLY, YOUR NUMBERS ARE PROBABLY A LITTLE SEMI-REASONABLE. 20 BUT, THE --21 22 MR. WHITE: I'LL TAKE THAT AS A COMPLIMENT --23 MEMBER JONES: YOU'VE GOT TO REMEMBER, I LIVED DOWN ALONG HIGHWAY 1 FOR A LOT OF YEARS WHEN I WORKED OUT OF SAN FRANCISCO. 24

### AUDI-X REPORTING

26 WE DON'T DO SOMETHING LIKE ASTERISK THESE THINGS THAT THEY'VE GOT A BASE

<del>- The program implementation. You know, i'</del>m not sure if

- 1 YEAR. AND THEN WHEN FOLKS COME FORWARD FOR 1066 (PHON) WE SAY, OKAY,
- 2 YOU CAME IN AND GOT A BASE-YEAR, NOW YOU NEED AN EXTENSION, WE'RE GOING
- 3 TO DO THE BIENNIAL REVIEWS -- "A" (PHON) -- YOU KNOW, YOU DO THE
- 4 BIENNIAL REVIEWS BUT YOU'VE GOT TO MAKE SURE THEY'VE GOT NEW PROGRAMS.
- 5 YOU KNOW, YOU JUST CAN'T TAKE ADVANTAGE OF -- AND I'M
- 6 NOT SAYING THAT YOU'RE TAKING ADVANTAGE, I MEAN, THIS IS BY LAW YOU NEED
- 7 TO FIX THIS NUMBER, IF THIS IS THE RIGHT NUMBER, I DON'T KNOW. I AM
- 8 WORRIED THAT WHEN YOU TAKE 12,000 TONS AND MOVE IT TO HALF MOON BAY IT
- 9 HAS TO COME FROM SOMEBODY ELSE.
- 10 AND THAT -- THAT'S A PROBLEM THAT WE KIND OF TOOK CARE
- 11 OF WITH L.A. COUNTY BECAUSE WE -- THEY KNEW GOING IN THAT THE CITIES AND
- 12 COUNTIES HAD DECLARED LESS TONNAGE THAN WHAT HAD ACTUALLY GONE TO THE
- 13 SYSTEM LANDFILLS. SO THERE WAS A DEBATE FROM DAY ONE AS TO THE CITIES
- 14 HAVE UNDERESTIMATED THEIR TONNAGES.
- 15 I DON'T KNOW WHERE WE'RE AT WITH SAN MATEO COUNTY, AS
- 16 FAR AS THAT GOES. YOU KNOW WHAT I DON'T?
- MR. WHITE: I DO, YEAH.
- 18 MEMBER JONES: SO THIS IS A LITTLE DIFFERENT.
- 19 MR. WHITE: THANK GOD IT'S SMALLER.
- 20 MEMBER JONES: YEAH. A LOT SMALLER.
- 21 BUT, YOU KNOW, SOMEHOW PROGRAMS ARE KEY TO THIS PROCESS.
- MR. WHITE: YOU KNOW, IN RESPONSE TO THE CHAIRMAN'S QUESTION
- 23 AND THAT COMMENT BOTH, WE'VE COME IN FOR A RATHER DRAMATIC INCREASE IN
- 24 BASE-YEAR, AND I'LL BE THE FIRST TO ACKNOWLEDGE THAT WE HAVE. I THINK
- <del>25 we've also illustrated why we may have a much larger than a</del>verage waste
- 26 GENERATION RATE.

| 1  | BUT I THINK THE IMPORTANT IS THAT                                       |
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| 2  | CHAIRMAN EATON: BUT THAT'S NOT SELF-HAUL. YOU JUST                      |
| 3  | MR. WHITE: I'M NOT SUGGESTING IT IS.                                    |
| 4  | CHAIRMAN EATON: GOT DONE TELLING ME IT'S                                |
| 5  | MR. WHITE: NO. I'M SUGGESTING THAT                                      |
| 6  | CHAIRMAN EATON: SELF-HAUL. WELL, YOU CAN'T                              |
| 7  | MR. WHITE: THE WASTE GENERATION RATE                                    |
| 8  | (THE PARTIES SIMULTANEOUSLY SPEAK.)                                     |
| 9  | CHAIRMAN EATON: HAVE WASTE GENERATION IN SELF-HAUL AND                  |
| 10 | SAY THAT THAT'S THE REASON FOR IT. YOU'RE TELLING ME THAT YOU'VE GOT AN |
| 11 | INCREASE IN GENERATION. I UNDERSTAND THAT, AND I'VE BEEN TO THOSE       |
| 12 | FESTIVALS. I UNDERSTAND THAT.   |
| 13 | BUT THAT'S NOT PART OF YOUR SELF-HAUL NUMBER. IS IT?                    |
| 14 | MR. WHITE: NO, IT ISN'T. I'M JUST ACKNOWLEDGING                         |
| 15 | CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY. SO WHERE IS THE SELF-HAUL                         |
| 16 | MR. WHITE: SEVERAL INDEPENDENT FACTS                                    |
| 17 | CHAIRMAN EATON: NUMBER THAT I'M LOOKING FOR? THAT'S                     |
| 18 | WHAT I'M LOOKING FOR. I'M LOOKING FOR DOCUMENTATION.                    |
| 19 | MR. WHITE: AND WE GOT THAT DOCUMENTATION DIRECTLY FROM THE              |
| 20 | LANDFILL OPERATOR, BFI, THAT WE BELIEVE WE COORDINATED VERY WELL WITH   |
| 21 | THE BOE DATA.   |
| 22 | CHAIRMAN EATON: AND WHAT IS THAT DOCUMENTATION? TO GO BACK              |
| 23 | TO MY FIRST QUESTION I ASKED YOU.                                       |
| 24 | MR. WHITE: THOSE REPORTS WHICH BFI PROVIDES THROUGH THE                 |
| 25 | COUNTY TO YOU FOLKS ON A QUARTERLY DISPOSAL REPORTING SYSTEM BASIS.     |

26 PLUS, THEY DO THAT DISPOSAL REPORTING ON A DAILY BASIS, AND SO WE USED

- 1 THE DAILY INFORMATION, ACTUALLY.
- 2 BUT I GUESS THE POINT I WAS JUST TRYING TO MAKE IS, WE
- 3 HAVE THE PROGRAMS NOW. IN '95 WE HAD GOOD PROGRAMS, WE HAVE ESCALATED
- 4 THOSE PROGRAMS BETWEEN '95 AND '98 FAR BEYOND WHAT WAS ANTICIPATED IN
- 5 THE SREE. FAR BEYOND IT. WE'RE INTO PROGRAMS THAT WERE NOT EVEN LISTED
- 6 IN THERE.
- 7 MEMBER JONES: MR. CHAIRMAN?
- 8 CHAIRMAN EATON: GO AHEAD.
- 9 MEMBER JONES: BUT FOLLOW-UP TO THAT, MARK, IS THAT WITH
- 10 THESE NUMBER ADJUSTMENTS IN '95 YOUR BIENNIAL REVIEW NUMBER WILL BE 32%,
- 11 IN '96 IT WILL BE 10%.
- 12 CHAIRMAN EATON: AND GOING DOWN.
- 13 MR. WHITE: UM-HUM. AND DO YOU KNOW WHY? I Dd.
- 14 MEMBER JONES: WHY?
- 15 MR. WHITE: BECAUSE THE FORMULA THAT WE USED TO CALCULATE
- 16 THOSE NUMBERS IS COMPLETELY AND TOTALLY IRRELEVANT FOR HALF MOON BAY, IT
- 17 WILL NEVER COME UP WITH A GOOD MEASURE OF RECYCLING IN THAT COMMUNITY.
- 18 IT'S IMPOSSIBLE, BECAUSE IT'S SET FOR THE AVERAGE COMMUNITY IN
- 19 CALIFORNIA. WE'RE A LONG WAY FROM BEING AVERAGE.
- 20 ACCORDING -- AS I OUTLINED IN THE OTHER THING, WE WANT
- 21 TO APPROACH IT IN A DIFFERENT WAY. I WANT TO MEASURE THE RECYCLING.
- 22 I'VE GOT TO MEASURE THE DISPOSAL. I'LL DO THE MATH, YOU CAN DO THE
- 23 MATH. I CAN SHOW THE CHAIRMAN WHERE THOSE NUMBERS CAME FROM. AND WE'RE
- 24 UP TO 32% IN '98 DOING THAT.
- <del>25 MEMBER JONES: OKAY. FOR PURPOSES OF THE BIENN</del>IAL REVIEW --
- 26 BECAUSE YOU GUYS HAVEN'T GONE THROUGH IT YET --

- 1 MR. WHITE: RIGHT. YEAH.
- 2 MEMBER JONES: IF THESE NUMBERS ARE WHAT ARE PRESENTED TO
- 3 US, THAT YOU ARE -- IN '95 YOU'RE AT 32%, IN '96 YOU'RE AT 10% -- HAVE
- 4 YOU MET THE FIRST PART OF -- HAVE YOU MET THE MANDATE?
- 5 MR. WHITE: WE COULD TALK ABOUT THAT OVER A BEER SOMETIME.
- 6 (LAUGHTER.)
- 7 FIRST OFF, I HAVE TO SAY I DON'T NECESSARILY -- I'M
- 8 NOT SURE WHAT THE 10% -- YOU KNOW, HOW THAT NUMBER CAME UP. I HAD SOME
- 9 DIFFERENT NUMBERS IN THERE WHICH I THOUGHT WERE AN ACCEPTALE APPROACH.
- 10 SO, YOU KNOW, THE 10% NUMBER I HAVE AN ARGUMENT WITH RIGHT OFF THE TOP.
- 11 BUT --
- 12 MEMBER JONES: OKAY. BUT ALL THINGS BEING EQUAL, THAT SAME
- 13 FORMULA GOT YOU A 32%.
- MR. WHITE: TRUE.
- 15 MEMBER JONES: OKAY. SO THE ONE FORMULA GOT YOU TO 32, THE
- 16 SAME FORMULA GETS YOU DOWN TO 10. IN '95, WITH THE BASE-YEAR ADJUSTMENT
- 17 -- WITH THE BASE-YEAR ADJUSTMENT -- YOU'RE AT 32%, YOU DROP IT DOWN TO
- 18 10%.
- 19 HAVE YOU MET -- AND, I MEAN, I'M THROWING THIS OUT FOR
- 20 US -- HAVE YOU MET THE FIRST PART OF THE MANDATE TO RECYCLE 25% OR --
- 21 OR, DO WE HAVE TO LOOK AT IT AS A GOOD-FAITH EFFORT? AND, IF YOU LOOK
- 22 AT IT AS GOOD-FAITH AND IT'S DROPPING, THEN WHAT PROGRAMS HAVE BEEN
- 23 DROPPED TO CAUSE THAT? AND IS THAT IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE LAW?
- 24 AND, YOU KNOW, I MEAN, THAT'S -- THAT'S THE
- 25 RAMIFICATION OF WHAT WE'RE DOING HERE.
- MR. WHITE: YES.

- 1 MEMBER JONES: I THINK.
- 2 CHAIRMAN EATON: AND YOU HAVE TO REALIZE THAT I'M NOT
- 3 OPPOSED TO LOCAL JURISDICTIONS. I AM, HOWEVER, TO THE INTEGRITY OF THE
- 4 SYSTEM.
- 5 WHEN I PUT OUT A STATEWIDE FIGURE, AND THAT FIGURE IS
- 6 SUPPOSED TO BE AN ACCURATE FIGURE, AND I COME IN AND I SEE ALL THE
- 7 fudging going, and everyone asks me why all the public mon $oldsymbol{1}$ es are being
- 8 SPENT ON PROGRAMS, AND ALL OF A SUDDEN WE'RE ADJUSTING NUMBERS UP FIVE,
- 9 10, 15%, NOT ONLY IN YOUR LOCAL JURISDICTIONS BUT STATEWIDE -- I MEAN,
- 10 THERE'S A FINITE POOL.
- 11 AND I'M JUST TRYING TO FIND OUT WHAT THE FINITE POOL
- 12 IS, AND WHAT THE DIVERSION RATE IS. BECAUSE AT SOME POINT SOMEONE'S
- 13 GOING TO UNRAVEL ALL OF IT AND PULL THE STRING, AND IT WON'T BE ON MY
- 14 WATCH. IT'S THAT SIMPLE.
- MR. WHITE: YEAH.
- 16 CHAIRMAN EATON: AND, SO THAT'S -- YOU KNOW, AND CALL IT
- 17 SELF-PRESERVATION OR WHATEVER. BUT I BELIEVE IF I PUT A FIGURE OUT
- 18 THERE, OR A PUBLIC AGENCY DOES, THEN YOU OUGHT TO HAVE SOME
- 19 DOCUMENTATION TO BACK IT UP. AND I DON'T FEEL COMFORTABLE RIGHT NOW
- 20 WITH ANY OF THE DOCUMENTATION THAT'S PROVIDED.
- 21 I DON'T EVEN HAVE IN MY PACKET WHAT THE DIVERSION RATE
- 22 IS AS THE RESULT OF YOUR ADJUSTMENT. NOW, THAT'S NOT YOUR PROBLEM,
- 23 THAT'S MY STAFF'S PROBLEM, AND I WILL DEAL WITH THAT. BUT THAT'S WHAT'S
- 24 GETTING TO ME. HOW CAN I TELL? AND I'M -- I SHOULD KNOW WHAT PROGRAMS
- 25 ARE. I MEAN, IF THERE'S A REASONABLE INFERENCE THERE.
- SO, I MEAN, YOU CAN DO WHAT YOU WANT AT THIS POINT BUT

| 1  | I CAN'T VOTE FOR FOR THIS ADJUSTMENT.                                  |
|----|--|
| 2  | MEMBER ROBERTI: CAN I ASK A QUESTION?                                  |
| 3  | CHAIRMAN EATON: SURELY.  |
| 4  | MEMBER ROBERTI: NOW, I HAVE I HAVE THIS PASS-OUT HERE                  |
| 5  | FOR TWO COUNTIES, TWO CITIES, IN SAN MATEO COUNTY THAT GAVE DIVERSION  |
| 6  | RATES. AND YOU, MR. CHAIRMAN, SAID WE DON'T HAVE A DIVERSION RATE. SO  |
| 7  | WHAT IN THE WORLD AND I'M NOT DISPUTING WHAT IN THE WORLD IS THIS?     |
| 8  | CHAIRMAN EATON: THIS JUST CAME LATE LAST NIGHT AS A RESULT             |
| 9  |  |
| 10 | MEMBER ROBERTI: OH, OKAY.  |
| 11 | CHAIRMAN EATON: OF MY INQUIRY  |
| 12 | MEMBER ROBERTI: OKAY.  |
| 13 | CHAIRMAN EATON: AS TO WHY IT WASN'T IN.                                |
| 14 | MEMBER ROBERTI: SO THEN THEY CAN'T THEY WE                             |
| 15 | CHAIRMAN EATON: SO AS A RESULT OF WHAT THIS WAS THIS WAS               |
| 16 | SOMETHING I ASKED FOR MANY WEEKS AGO AND THEN IT SHOWED UP YESTERDAY   |
| 17 | AFTER I WAS IN THE OFFICE TRYING TO GO THROUGH MY PACKET LOOKING       |
| 18 | BECAUSE I THINK THAT'S A KEY COMPONENT. IF YOU KNOW WHERE THE PROPOSED |
| 19 | RATE WAS AND WHERE YOU'RE GOING, THERE MAY VERY WELL HAVE EEEN A GOOD  |
| 20 | BASIS FOR NOT BEING ABLE TO DETERMINE SOMETHING AT A CERTAIN POINT IN  |
| 21 | TIME.  |
| 22 | BUT WHERE DOES THAT MOVE TO?   |
| 23 | MEMBER ROBERTI: AND THE MAJOR CONCERN OF YOURS AND MR.                 |
| 24 | JONES' IS THAT HERE THE PROPOSED RATES ARE GOING DOWN                  |
| 25 | CHAIRMAN EATON: AND IN OTHER CASES THEY'RE GOTING UP                   |

(THE PARTIES SIMULTANEOUSLY SPEAK.)

| 1  | MEMBER ROBERTI: BUT IN SAN MATEO  |
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| 2  | CHAIRMAN EATON: AND THERE'S NO PROGRAMS                                 |
| 3  | MEMBER ROBERTI: IN SAN MATEO THEY'RE GOING DOWN.                        |
| 4  | CHAIRMAN EATON: CORRECT.  |
| 5  | MEMBER ROBERTI: WHY ARE THEY GOING WHY ARE CAN STAFF                    |
| 6  | TELL ME AGAIN WHY THEY'RE GOING DOWN?                                   |
| 7  | MR. SCHIAVO: I REALLY CAN'T ANSWER THAT. IT'S A                         |
| 8  | POSSIBILITY IT'S STILL MORE ALLOCATION ERRORS WITHIN THE COUNTY THAT    |
| 9  | IT'S WHILE MAYBE THE '95 GOT CORRECTED OR MAYBE IT'S OVERSTATED, THE    |
| 10 | '96 MAY BE A PRODUCT OF THAT.   |
| 11 | AS FAR AS THE PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION EFFORTS, THEY DID                  |
| 12 | HAVE A NUMBER OF PROGRAMS IMPLEMENTED IN 1995. THEY APPEAR TO BE        |
| 13 | INCREASING THE PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION, LIKE MARK EXPRESSED EARLIER      |
| 14 | MEMBER ROBERTI: SO THERE HAVE BEEN PROGRAM                              |
| 15 | MR. SCHIAVO: YEAH.  |
| 16 | MEMBER ROBERTI: THERE ARE SOME THERE'S A GREATER DEGREE                 |
| 17 | OF PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION THAT YOU COULD POINT TO FOR THE '96 RATE THAN |
| 18 | THERE WAS FOR THE '95 RATE?   |
| 19 | MR. SCHIAVO: I BELIEVE THERE IS. IF YOU                                 |
| 20 | (THE PARTIES SIMULTANEOUSLY SPEAK.)                                     |
| 21 | MEMBER ROBERTI: GOING DOWN?   |
| 22 | MR. SCHIAVO: IF NOT GREATER, IT'S AT LEAST EQUAL TO THE                 |
| 23 | PRINTOUT I HAVE SHOWS PLAN FOR THE FUTURE AND SOME OF THESE ELEMENTS.   |
| 24 | AND THEY HAVE SOME ALTERNATIVE PROGRAMS PLANNED.                        |
| 25 | MS. SATTER: THE RESIDENTIAL CURBSIDE GREEN WAS TE COLLECTION            |

26 PROGRAM WAS IMPLEMENTED RECENTLY.

LOOKING INTO DIVERTING SLUDGE AS ADC (PHON). THAT'S THE MAJOR -- THAT 3 WILL BOOST THEIR DIVERSION RATE. MEMBER ROBERTI: SO THERE ARE PROGRAMS THAT ARE BEING 4 5 IMPLEMENTED -- THIS IS OFF THE TOP OF MY HEAD BECAUSE I -- I ABSOLUTELY DO NOT BELIEVE THIS IS A -- EVEN ANYTHING APPROACHING A SCIENCE (PHON). 6 I MEAN, IT -- IT IS -- I'M SORT OF PREPARED MYSELF TO 7 ACCEPT THE NUMBERS, AND I COULD BE DEAD WRONG. 8 9 BUT LIKE I DON'T THINK I'M BEING FLIM-FLAM, BECAUSE 10 YOUR DIVERSION -- YOU'VE -- YOU'RE INCREASING THE NUMBER OF PROGRAMS, AT 11 LEAST, AND YOU DON'T SEEM TO BE FLIM-FLAMMING US BECAUSE YOUR RATE'S GONE DOWN. SO, IF YOU'RE GOING -- IF THE COUNTY'S GOING TO LIVE WITH 12

AND ALSO SLUDGE DIVERSION, THE COUNTY -- THE CITY IS

14 AND, HAVING SAID THAT, I'LL ATTEST TO THE FACT THAT I

THESE NUMBERS I GUESS WE OUGHT TO LIVE WITH THE NUMBERS TOO.

- 15 HAVE A 95% PREJUDICE THAT THEY'RE DEAD WRONG. BUT I DON'T KNOW HOW TO
- 16 COME UP WITH ANYTHING THAT'S RIGHTER.
- 17 SO, I JUST DON'T THINK THERE'S A -- I DON'T -- I DON'T
- 18 SEE IN THESE NUMBERS AN ATTEMPT TO FLIM-FLAM THE BOARD. AND I GUESS
- 19 THAT'S THE BEST WE CAN ASK FOR. ESPECIALLY IN THE LIGHT OF WHAT OUR
- STAFF TELLS US, AND THAT IS THEY HAVE BEEN IMPLEMENTING PROGRAMS AND --20
- IN THE ONE YEAR. 21

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- 22 I DON'T KNOW --
- 23 CHAIRMAN EATON: I THINK THERE'S A CORRECTION, THAT THEY
- 24 PLAN ON IMPLEMENTING THEM.
- MEMBER ROBERTI: OH.
- 26 CHAIRMAN EATON: NO, SHE SAID THE SLUDGE HAS NOT BEEN

- 1 IMPLEMENTED.
- MS. SATTER: NOT YET.
- 3 CHAIRMAN EATON: NOT YET. SO DON'T --
- 4 MEMBER ROBERTI: OKAY, SO WHAT --
- 5 (THE PARTIES SIMULTANEOUSLY SPEAK.)
- 6 CHAIRMAN EATON: ARE YOU SAYING YES AND SHE'S SAYING NO?
- 7 WHICH IS WHICH?
- 8 MR. WHITE: NO, WHAT I'M SAYING IS EVERYTHING THAT'S ON YOUR
- 9 PARIS (PHON) REPORT THAT'S A P.F. (PHON) --
- 10 CHAIRMAN EATON: I WISH I HAD A PARIS REPORT.
- MR. WHITE: I'M SORRY.
- 12 CHAIRMAN EATON: OR HOW ABOUT A, YOU KNOW, A ROME REPORT?
- 13 ANYTHING THAT I COULD DO TO RECONCILE THIS.
- 14 AND I AGREE WITH THE SENATOR, IF I WANT I WILL TAKE
- 15 IT -- IF ALL OF THESE THAT GO DOWN IN '95, I'LL ACCEPT THEM ALL. BUT
- 16 IT'S THE ONES THAT ARE GOING UP, IT'S THE REVERSE THAT -- THEY'RE MUCH
- 17 MORE BOTHERSOME.
- 18 SO WHAT HAPPENS WHEN YOU COME BACK IN FOR YOUR
- 19 BIENNIAL REVIEW AND YOU'RE AT 12%, WHAT ARE WE GOING TO DO THEN?
- 20 MR. WHITE: WELL, WHEN YOU COME BACK IN FOR THE '95-96
- 21 BIENNIAL REVIEW -- WE HAD THOSE PROGRAMS IN PLACE THAT WE HAD AT THAT
- 22 TIME, AND WE DID WHAT WE DID, WE REPORTED TO YOU WHAT WE HAD, THOSE WERE
- 23 THE PROGRAMS THAT WERE BASICALLY OUTLINED IN THE SREE, AND THEY GOT THE
- 24 RESULTS THAT THEY GOT.
- 25 OUR RESULTS HAVE DRAMATICALLY IMPROVED STANCE THEN.
- 26 WE'LL HAVE TO DEAL WITH THE BIENNIAL REVIEW AT THAT TIME. WE'RE LOOKING

- 1 HINDSIGHT, 20/20, EVERY TIME. RIGHT NOW WE'RE DOING PRETTY GOOD 20/20
- 2 FORESIGHT, I THINK.
- 3 MEMBER JONES: MR. CHAIRMAN?
- 4 CHAIRMAN EATON: MR. JONES?
- 5 MEMBER JONES: I AGREE, I DON'T THINK WE'RE BEING SHIM-
- 6 SHAMED. I KNOW MARK WHITE. BUT, YOU KNOW, HE -- HE WANTED TO BE NUMBER
- 7 ONE --
- 8 CHAIRMAN EATON: WELL, FIRST OFF --
- 9 MEMBER JONES: -- ON THE AGENDA -- (LAUGHTER) --
- 10 CHAIRMAN EATON: FIRST OFF, NO ONE IMPLIED THAT --
- 11 MEMBER JONES: I KNOW, I KNOW --
- 12 (THE PARTIES SIMULTANEOUSLY SPEAK.)
- 13 CHAIRMAN EATON: -- THAT WE WERE.
- 14 MEMBER JONES: I KNOW. IF ANYBODY DID IT WAS ME.
- 15 CHAIRMAN EATON: BUT I WANT THE BOARD TO UNDERSTAND THAT
- 16 WHAT'S HAPPENING HERE -- AT SOME POINT IT'S GOING TO COME FIGHT BACK AT
- 17 OUR DOORSTEP.
- 18 AND LET THE RECORD REFLECT THAT -- I MEAN, YOU KNOW,
- 19 TAKE IT AS YOU WANT, BUT I THINK IT'S AN -- IT'S IMPORTANT FOR THE
- 20 INTEGRITY. AND THAT'S JUST KIND OF WHERE, YOU KNOW, I'VE ALWAYS BEEN IN
- 21 TERMS OF NUMBERS, AND THAT'S A PREJUDICE OF MINE.
- 22 BUT IF SOMEONE CAN EXPLAIN TO ME, YOU KNOW, NOT WITH
- 23 REGARD TO HALF MOON BAY, WHICH SEEMS TO BE GOING DOWN, BUT IN THESE
- 24 OTHER JURISDICTIONS WHERE YOU CAN MOVE 20, 30, 40% IN DIVERSION AND NOT
- 25 HAVE A PROGRAM TO GO FOR IT, BOY, I -- I MEAN I JUST, IT'S SMOKE AND
- 26 MIRRORS, AND I GUESS MAYBE THAT IS REASONABLY ACCURATE.

- 1 MEMBER JONES: MR. CHAIRMAN, IF -- I DON'T KNOW HOW WE'RE --
- 2 HOW WE'RE GOING TO DO THIS, BUT SOMEHOW --
- 3 CHAIRMAN EATON: WELL, I THINK ONE OF THE WAYS IS WE PUT AN
- 4 ASTERISK NEXT TO EACH OF THESE AND WE JUST SAY THAT, FOR PURPOSES OF
- 5 WHAT WE'RE DOING HERE, THAT THERE IS NOT, YOU KNOW, I MEAN, SUFFICIENT
- 6 INFORMATION, OR THAT THE INFORMATION IS SUBMITTED AND THE HOARD IS
- 7 MAKING A DETERMINATION ONLY AS IT RELATES TO BEING ABLE TO MOVE TO NEXT
- 8 -- TO THE NEXT LEVEL OF BIENNIAL REVIEW.
- 9 AND THEN AT THAT POINT WE'LL SEE WHAT THEY HAVE.
- 10 THEN, IF ALL THE COUNTIES COME IN, OR THEY DON'T COME IN, WE'LL DEAL
- 11 WITH THEM THAT WAY. THAT SEEMS TO BE THE PROCESS BY WHICH THE STAFF
- 12 WANTS TO OPERATE.
- 13 MEMBER JONES: SO ACCEPT THE --
- 14 CHAIRMAN EATON: NO, NOT ACCEPT --
- 15 MEMBER JONES: WELL, WAIT. WOULD IT BE YOU DON'T ACCEPT IT
- 16 OR WE'RE JUST GOING TO HOLD IT IN....
- 17 BECAUSE, I DON'T HAVE A PROBLEM WITH IF WE ASTERISK
- 18 THEM TO SAY THAT WE HAVE DEALT WITH THIS BASE-YEAR CHANGE, CORRECTION.
- 19 AND THEN USE THAT ASTERISK AS PART OF WHEN THESE JURISDICTIONS COME
- 20 FORWARD FOR BIENNIAL REVIEWS TO LOOK AT NUMBERS AND LOOK AT DIVERSION
- 21 RATES. SAME CAN BE USED WHEN THEY COME FORWARD FOR AN SUBPOENA 1066
- 22 EXTENSION, TO GET PROGRAMS DONE. SO THAT WE KNOW THAT THERE HAS BEEN A
- 23 HISTORY OF -- THESE ARE -- THESE WERE THEIR NUMBERS ORIGINALLY, THEY'VE
- 24 COME IN AND THEY'VE CHANGED THE NUMBERS.
- 25 THAT GIVES US AN OPPORTUNITY, I THINK, TO TAKE THE
- 26 EXERCISE -- I MEAN, WORKING ON THESE REGIONALIZED AREAS AND SEEING IF WE

| 1  | CAN GET TO SOMETHING THAT'S NOT IT'S NEVER GOING TO BE EXACT, BUT |
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| 2  | IT CAN BE A LOT CLOSER THAN WHAT WE'VE SEEN.                      |
| 3  | I MEAN  |
| 4  | CHAIRMAN EATON: NO. BUT THEY HAVE TO BE DEFENSIBLE.               |
| 5  | MEMBER JONES: THEY HAVE TO BE DEFENSIBLE, EXACTLY.                |
| 6  | CHAIRMAN EATON: I MEAN, AT SOME POINT THEY HAVE TO BE             |
| 7  | DEFENSIBLE.   |
| 8  | MEMBER JONES: RIGHT.  |
| 9  | CHAIRMAN EATON: WELL  |
| 10 | MEMBER JONES: MR. EATON, YOU WEREN'T HERE.                        |
| 11 | BUT WHEN WE WENT  |
| 12 | CHAIRMAN EATON: AND I'M GLAD.                                     |
| 13 | MEMBER JONES: THROUGH THIS THING I KNOW. WHEN WE DID              |
| 14 | THIS THING FIRST FIRST WHEN WE DID THIS THING IT WAS PORTRAYED    |
| 15 | THAT THIS WAS OUR FAULT. THAT THESE                               |
| 16 | CHAIRMAN EATON: IT STILL IS.                                      |
| 17 | MEMBER JONES: NUMBERS WERE SCREWED UP                             |
| 18 | CHAIRMAN EATON: IT STILL IS.                                      |
| 19 | MEMBER JONES: BECAUSE OF THE LAW CHANGE.                          |
| 20 | CHAIRMAN EATON: AND WE'RE BEING BLAMED FOR NOT DOING THE          |
| 21 | BIENNIAL REPORTS.   |
| 22 | MEMBER JONES: RIGHT. AND THEN IT WAS                              |
| 23 | CHAIRMAN EATON: AND THAT'S NOT TRUE, AS WELL.                     |
| 24 | MEMBER JONES: AND THEN IT WAS PORTRAYED THAT SOME OF THE          |
| 25 | CALCULATIONS FOR DETERMINING TONNAGES MAY HAVE BEEN WRONG.        |

THERE WERE JURISDICTIONS THAT IN A FRONT-LOADER --

- 1 OKAY? -- DOING RESIDENTIAL WASTE? -- MADE AN EQUATION THAT A YARD OF
- 2 WASTE WEIGHED A HUNDRED POUNDS, COMPACTED. AND THAT;'S HOW THEY GOT TO
- 3 THEIR NUMBER. WE'VE SEEN 'EM. AND THERE'S NOBODY IN THIS ROOM, I DON'T
- 4 THINK, THAT DOESN'T UNDERSTAND THAT A YARD OF LOOSE WASTE WEIGHS 272
- 5 POUNDS. SO HOW THE HELL YOU CAN COMPACT IT AND COME OUT WITH A HUNDRED
- 6 POUNDS IS A DISSERVICE TO THE CITIES ADN COUNTIES, AND COMMUNITIES WHERE
- 7 THOSE NUMBERS WERE USED.
- 8 AND NOW WE'RE BEING ASKED TO RECONCILE THOSE. BUT
- 9 IT'S THE BACK-UP....
- 10 YOU KNOW, WHAT I OFFERED THAT DAY A YEAR AND A HALF OR
- 11 TWO YEARS AGO? I SAID SHOW US YOUR EQUATIONS. IF YOU'VE GOT A FLEET OF
- 12 AMREPS (PHON), AND THIS WAS YOUR EVALUATION, AND YOU CAN'T FIGURE IT OUT
- 13 THEN BRING IT TO US AND WE'LL FIGURE IT OUT. BECAUSE THEN AT LEAST
- 14 WE'VE GOT A LINKAGE AS TO WHERE THE MISTAKE WAS AND WHERE THE TONNAGE
- 15 SHOULD GO.
- 16 SO, I KNOW WHAT YOU'RE SAYING ABOUT DOCUMENTING THIS,
- 17 YOU KNOW, MORE SO THAN WE ARE.
- 18 I THINK STAFF IS GETTING ALL THE INFORMATION THEY CAN
- 19 GET. BUT I THINK WE NEED TO LOOK AT THIS THING FROM A STANDPOINT....
- 20 WHEN I SEE -- I'M SORRY, BUT WHEN I SEE 21 POUNDS PER
- 21 PERSON PER DAY IN A RESIDENTIAL COMMUNITY, THAT'S EVERY CHILD -- YOU
- 22 KNOW, MAN, WOMAN AND CHILD, 21 POUNDS A DAY IN A RESIDENTIAL COMMUNITY.
- CHAIRMAN EATON: OF 2,000 PEOPLE.
- 24 MEMBER JONES: YOU KNOW, IT AIN'T GOING TO WORM. THAT'S NOT
- <del>25 A -- THAT'S NOT AN INDICATOR TO ME THAT THAT CAN WORK.</del>
- 26 SO, WHY DON'T WE -- IF YOU DON'T WANT -- I DON'T KNOW

| 2 | OVER LUNCH AND THEN COME UP WITH A RESOLUTION AS TO WHAT WE MAY BE ABLE  |
|---|--|
| 3 | TO DO RATHER THAN JUMP ON THIS THING RIGHT NOW AND GIVE IT A TERMINATION |
| 4 | ON HALF MOON BAY. IF THAT'S REASONABLE?                                  |
| 5 | CHAIRMAN EATON: THAT'S FINE. SO WHAT TIME, 1:30?                         |
| 6 | MEMBER JONES: YEAH, THAT'S FINE WITH ME.                                 |
| 7 | CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY. WE'LL RECESS TILL 1:30. WE'LL BE                   |
| 8 | BACK AT QUARTER-TO, AND THEN WE'LL START RIGHT INTO THE TO PROBABLY      |
| 9 | THE PUBLIC MEETING AT THAT POINT. WE'RE BACK AT 1:45.                    |

(WHEREUPON, THE LUNCHEON RECESS WAS TAKEN UNTIL 2:00 O'CLOCK

1 HOW LONG YOU WANT TO GO. I'D LIKE FOR US TO BE ABLE TO THINK ABOUT THIS

11 P.M.)

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| 1  | AFTERNOON SESSION 2:00 O'CLOCK P.M.                                     |
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| 3  | CHAIRMAN EATON: TWO O'CLOCK HAVING ARISEN, WE HAVE HAD A                |
| 4  | PRESCHEDULED A WASTE TIRE HEARING, THAT WAS ITEM C, THAT WAS SCHEDULED  |
| 5  | FOR TWO O'CLOCK WHICH WE WILL GO INTO NOW. AND IN THE PROCESS WE WILL   |
| 6  | THEN RETURN TO OUR REGULAR BUSINESS AGENDA WITH ITEM 1 AND WE WILL HAVE |
| 7  | SOME DISCUSSION ON THE BOARD'S ACTIONS THERE.                           |
| 8  | SO, HAVING SAID THAT, IF I CAN JUST ASK, FIRST AND                      |
| 9  | FOREMOST, HAVE ANY OF OUR MEMBERS HAD ANY EX PARTE COMMUNICATIONS THAT  |
| 10 | NEED TO BE DISCLOSED?   |
| 11 | MEMBER PENNINGTON: NOT I, MR. CHAIRMAN. THANK YOU.                      |
| 12 | MEMBER JONES: MR. CHAIRMAN, JUST A QUICK ONE WITH DAVE ALT              |
| 13 | (PHON) ON HOW WASTE FLOWS.  |
| 14 | CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY.   |
| 15 | MEMBER ROBERTI: I SPOKE TO MR. SCOTT JOHNSTON (PHON) OF                 |
| 16 | MERCED COUNTY REGARDING KIEFER AND A POTENTIAL MERCED COUNTY LANDFILL   |
| 17 | BEFORE US.  |
| 18 | CHAIRMAN EATON: AND I HAVE NONE.  |
| 19 | V. CONTINUED BUSINESS AGENDA ITEMS (RESUMED)                            |
| 20 | AGENDA ITEM C: PUBLIC HEARING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF REVOCATION       |
| 21 | OF THE MINOR WASTE TIRE FACILITY PROGRAM PERMIT ISSUED TO ECONOMY TIRE  |
| 22 | SERVICE, STANISLAUS COUNTY  |
| 23 | CHAIRMAN EATON: NOW MOVE TO ITEM C, WHICH IS A PUBLIC                   |
| 24 | HEARING FOR CONSIDERATION OF REVOCATION OF A MINOR WASTE TIRE FACILITY  |
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THIS HEARING WAS NOTICED, AND HAD BEGUN ON APRIL 27TH,

- 1 1999, AND IT WAS CONTINUED BY BOARD ACTION TO AFFORD THE RESPONDENT,
- 2 SIXTO PORRAS, AN OPPORTUNITY TO PROVIDE THE BOARD WITH SOME ADDITIONAL
- 3 EVIDENCE CLAIMED FOR DEFENSE IN THIS MATTER. THE RECORD REMAINED OPEN
- 4 AND FURTHER EVIDENCE WILL NOW BE PRESENTED TO THE BOARD.
- 5 ANY WITNESS WHO WISHES TO TESTIFY WILL BE SWORN IN BY
- 6 THE COURT REPORTER.
- 7 FOR PURPOSES OF THIS HEARING WILL THE SECRETARY PLEASE
- 8 CALL THE ROLL?
- 9 THE SECRETARY: BOARD MEMBERS JONES?
- 10 MEMBER JONES: HERE.
- 11 THE SECRETARY: PENNINGTON?
- 12 MEMBER PENNINGTON: HERE.
- 13 THE SECRETARY: ROBERTI?
- 14 MEMBER ROBERTI: HERE.
- 15 THE SECRETARY: CHAIRMAN EATON?
- 16 CHAIRMAN EATON: HERE.
- JUST IN TERMS OF PROPER NOTICE, I'M GOING TO TAKE A
- 18 FEW MINUTES TO EXPLAIN HOW WE WILL PROCEED. WE WILL FIRST HAVE ALL THE
- 19 WITNESSES WHO ARE GOING TO TESTIFY, LISTED IN AGENDA ITEM d, BE SWORN IN
- 20 BY THE COURT REPORTER.
- 21 SECOND, THE BOARD'S LEGAL COUNSEL WILL GIVE A
- 22 DESCRIPTION OF THE FRAMEWORK BY WHICH WE WILL CONDUCT THE HEARING,
- 23 INCLUDING ALL THE STATUTES AND REGULATIONS, AND A REVIEW OF THE
- 24 PROCEDURES AND ISSUES TO BE DECIDED.
- <del>25 the board will then make its staff presen</del>tation
- 26 REGARDING THE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION THAT WAS REQUESTED DURING THE APRIL

- 1 27TH, 1999, HEARING, INCLUDING REQUIREMENTS, NON-COMPLIANCE, AND
- 2 RECOMMENDATIONS. THEN THE ECONOMY TIRE SERVICE WILL BE ALLOWED TO MAKE
- 3 ITS PRESENTATION TO THE BOARD, AND THEN THE BOARD STAFF MAY MAKE ITS
- 4 REBUTTAL ARGUMENTS, IF ANY. AND WE WILL THEN DECIDE THE MATTER.
- 5 SO IF I COULD JUST HAVE THE WITNESSES PLEASE STAND
- 6 WHERE THEY ARE, AND HAVE THE COURT REPORTER SWEAR THEM IN?
- 7 WHEREUPON,
- 8 ALL PERSONS WHO SHALL TESTIFY IN THE PUBLIC
- 9 HEARING FOR CONSIDERATION OF AGENDA ITEM C
- 10 WERE DULY SWORN, AND DID TESTIFY AS FOLLOWS:
- 11 CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY. I NOTICED JUST THREE. SO WE CAN
- 12 BEGIN WITH MS. SMALL. KIND OF GIVE US A BRIEF OVERVIEW IF YOU CAN,
- 13 WE'VE GOT A LONG AGENDA.
- 14 MS. SMALL: GOOD AFTERNOON BOARD MEMBERS, CHAIRMAN EATON,
- 15 AND MR. SIXTO PORRAS. THIS AFTERNOON IS A CONTINUATION OF THE HEARING
- 16 THAT THE BOARD HAD BEGUN LAST MONTH TO AFFORD MR. PORRAS AN OPPORTUNITY
- 17 TO PRESENT ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE.
- AS A BRIEF REVIEW, THIS MATTER IS BEING HROUGHT UNDER
- 19 PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE SECTION 42842, WHICH PROVIDES THE BASIS FOR
- 20 REVOCATION OR SUSPENSION OF A WASTE TIRE PERMIT THAT'S BEEN ISSUED BY
- 21 THE BOARD. THAT PARTICULAR STATUTE IS INCLUDED AS AN ATTACHMENT TO THE
- 22 BOARD ITEM AS EXHIBIT 1. AND IF ANYONE NEEDS ADDITIONAL COPIES OF THAT,
- 23 THAT IS IN THE BACK OF THE ROOM. VERY BRIEFLY, ALL OF THE CONDITIONS
- 24 HAVE TO DO WITH VIOLATIONS OF THE STATUTE, OR AIDING AND AHETTING
- 25 VIOLATIONS OF THE PERMITTING STATUTE.
- 26 AT THIS TIME I WOULD LIKE TO ENTER INTO EVIDENCE

- 1 VARIOUS DOCUMENTS THAT HAVE BEEN PROVIDED TO THE BOARD BY MR. PORRAS IN
- 2 REGARD TO INFORMATION THEY HAD REQUESTED.
- FOR THE RECORD THERE ARE WASTE TIRE MANIFESTS
- 4 DOCUMENTING REMOVAL OF TIRES FROM HIS SITE TO GOLDEN BY PRODUCTS. EACH
- 5 MANIFEST IS TO GOLDEN BY PRODUCTS. AND JUST FOR THE RECORD, THE NUMBERS
- 6 ON THOSE MANIFESTS ARE AS FOLLOWS: 348082, 348207, 348292, 679608,
- 7 679619, 679643 AND THE REST ARE THREE-DIGIT NUMBERS WHICH ARE 121, 184,
- 8 203, 254, 372, 468, 505, AND 538, 538 HAS BEEN PROVIDED TO THE BOARD
- 9 MEMBERS AND IS AVAILABLE SEPARATELY IN THE BACK OF THE ROOM, AS MR.
- 10 PORRAS JUST BROUGHT THAT IN TODAY.
- 11 WHEREUPON,
- 12 KEITH E. CAMBRIDGE,
- 13 HAVING BEEN PREVIOUSLY DULY SWORN, DID TESTIFY AS FOLLOWS:
- 14 MS. SMALL: AT THIS TIME, MR. CAMBRIDGE, I'D LIKE TO ASK
- 15 YOU, ARE YOU FAMILIAR WITH THESE MANIFESTS?
- MR. CAMBRIDGE: YES, I AM.
- 17 MS. SMALL: AND WHERE DID YOU OBTAIN THEM?
- 18 MR. CAMBRIDGE: FROM ECONOMY TIRE SERVICE.
- 19 MS. SMALL: AND HAVE YOU HAD AN OPPORTUNITY TO REVIEW THE
- 20 ONES THAT I HAVE JUST NOW GIVEN TO THE COURT REPORTER?
- 21 MR. CAMBRIDGE: YES, I HAVE.
- 22 MS. SMALL: AND ARE THOSE THE ACCURATE ORIGINALS THAT YOU
- 23 OBTAINED FROM MR. PORRAS?
- MR. CAMBRIDGE: YES, THEY ARE.
- 25 MS. SMALL: THANK YOU.
- 26 AT THIS POINT, IF THERE'S NO OBJECTION, I'D LIKE TO

| 1  | PUT THOSE INTO THE RECORD.  |
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| 2  | CHAIRMAN EATON: HEARING NO OBJECTION, SO SHALL BE ORDERED.              |
| 3  | (WHEREUPON, AGENDA ITEM C AGENCY  |
| 4  | EXHIBIT NO. [NOT INDICATED] WAS   |
| 5  | RECEIVED INTO EVIDENCE.)  |
| 6  | MS. SMALL: THE NEXT DOCUMENT WHICH I WOULD LIKE TO PUT INTO             |
| 7  | THE RECORD IS THE ORIGINAL OF THE SITE VISIT REPORT REGARDING THE VISIT |
| 8  | THAT MR. CAMBRIDGE DID, ACCORDING TO THE BOARD'S REQUEST, ON MAY 3,     |
| 9  | 1999. A COPY OF THIS DOCUMENT IS AVAILABLE IN THE BACK OF THE ROOM AND  |
| 10 | HAS ALREADY BEEN SUPPLIED TO THE BOARD MEMBERS.                         |
| 11 | GO AHEAD AND MARK THAT.   |
| 12 | (WHEREUPON, AGENDA ITEM C AGENCY  |
| 13 | EXHIBIT NO. [NOT INDICATED] WAS   |
| 14 | MARKED FOR IDENTIFICATION.)   |
| 15 | MS. SMALL: MR. CAMBRIDGE, THE DOCUMENT THAT I'VE JUST                   |
| 16 | HANDED TO THE COURT REPORTER, ARE YOU FAMILIAR WITH IT?                 |
| 17 | MR. CAMBRIDGE: YES, I AM.   |
| 18 | MS. SMALL: AND DID YOU PREPARE THAT DOCUMENT?                           |
| 19 | MR. CAMBRIDGE: YES, I DID.  |
| 20 | MS. SMALL: AND IS THE INFORMATION REFLECTED IN THAT                     |
| 21 | DOCUMENT TRUE AND CORRECT?  |
| 22 | MR. CAMBRIDGE: YES, IT IS.  |
| 23 | MS. SMALL: IF THERE'S NO OBJECTION I'D LIKE TO HAVE THAT                |
| 24 | ENTERED INTO THE RECORD AS WELL.  |
| 25 | (WHEREUPON, AGENDA ITEM C AGENCY  |

EXHIBIT NO. [NOT INDICATED] WAS

- 1 RECEIVED INTO EVIDENCE.)
- 2 MS. SMALL: AT THIS TIME, FOR BREVITY, I WOULD JUST LIKE TO
- 3 HAVE MR. CAMBRIDGE EXPLAIN WHAT HE OBSERVED AND THE RESULTS OF HIS
- 4 INVESTIGATION, WHICH OCCURRED ON MAY 3, 1999.
- 5 MR. CAMBRIDGE: MR. CHAIRMAN, MEMBERS OF THE BOARD, PURSUANT
- 6 TO YOUR REQUEST AT THE LAST BOARD MEETING WE CONDUCTED AN INSPECTION, OR
- 7 A SITE VISIT, OF ECONOMY TIRE ON MAY 3RD, 1999, TO REVIEW THE RECORDS
- 8 AND DOCUMENTS SHOWING WASTE TIRES EITHER COMING INTO THE FACILITY OR
- 9 LEAVING THE FACILITY.
- 10 AT THE TIME OF MY VISIT ON MAY 3RD, 1999, THE OPERATOR
- 11 WAS UNABLE TO SHOW ANY MANIFESTS OR INVOICES FOR PAST WASTE TIRES
- 12 ENTERING THE SITE. THERE'S NO DOCUMENTATION OF -- SUCH AS INVOICES OR A
- 13 MANIFEST FOR THIS.
- 14 DURING MY INTERVIEW WITH MR. PORRAS IT WAS REVEALED
- 15 THAT MR. PORRAS PICKS UP WASTE TIRES FROM ONLY ONE TIRE DEALERSHIP, AND
- 16 THAT'S CITY TIRES, LOCATED IN MODESTO, CALIFORNIA.
- 17 MR. PORRAS STATED THAT THE QUANTITY OF WASTE TIRES
- 18 COLLECTED AT THIS SITE CAN VARY FROM ONE LOAD PER WEEK DURING THE
- 19 WINTERTIME TO TWO LOADS PER WEEK DURING THE SUMMERTIME, BUT ON A AVERAGE
- 20 ABOUT ONE LOAD PER WEEK, EACH LOAD CONSISTING OF APPROXIMATELY 250 TO
- 21 300 WASTE TIRES.
- 22 MR. PORRAS FURTHER ADDED THAT THE ACCEPTANCE OF THE
- 23 CITY TIRES WASTE TIRE INVENTORY HAS BEEN OCCURRING FOR THE PAST ONE AND
- 24 A HALF TO TWO YEARS.
- 26 GOOD, REUSABLE TIRES, AND 50% JUNK TIRES. HOWEVER, THE OPERATOR PAYS

- 1 NOTHING FOR THESE TIRES, NOR DOES HE CHARGE THE TIRE DEALERSHIP.
- 2 SINCE THE OPERATOR HAS BECOME A REGISTERED WASTE TIRE
- 3 HAULER, IN MARCH, 1999, HE HAS USED ONE MANIFEST DOCUMENTING THE REMOVAL
- 4 OF TIRES FROM CITY TIRES FROM THAT DATE.
- 5 AFTER THE INTERVIEW WITH MR. PORRAS I THEN WENT TO
- 6 CITY TIRES, WHICH HAPPENED TO BE CLOSED ON MONDAYS AND -- DURING THE
- 7 DAYTIME, AND I LEFT A BUSINESS CARD WITH AN EMPLOYEE WHO WORKED AT THE
- 8 AUTO DETAILING SHOP FOR THE TIRE DEALERSHIP. I REQUESTED THE MANAGER,
- 9 MR. CRAIG POWELL (PHON) TO CONTACT ME WHEN HE CAME BACK ON TUESDAY.
- 10 ON MAY 5TH, 1999, I SPOKE TO MR. POWELL, THE PRESIDENT
- 11 OF CITY TIRES, AND QUESTIONED MR. POWELL CONCERNING THE DISPOSAL OF HIS
- 12 OWN WASTE TIRES. MR. POWELL CONFIRMED THAT HIS WASTE TIRES ARE SHIPPED
- 13 TO ECONOMY TIRE AT AN APPROXIMATE RATE OF 250 TO 300 WASTE TIRES PER
- 14 WEEK, AND MR. POWELL STATED THAT THERE IS NO INVOICES DOCUMENTING THIS
- 15 TRANSACTION AS THERE IS NO MONEY EXCHANGED.
- 16 THE ONLY DISCREPANCY NOTED DURING THE PHONE INTERVIEW
- 17 WITH MR. POWELL WAS THAT CITY TIRES ACTUALLY LOADED THEIR ON VEHICLE
- 18 AND MR. PORRAS CAME TO THE SITE, DROVE THE VEHICLE BACK TO ECONOMY TIRE,
- 19 UNLOADED THE TIRES, AND THEN DROVE THIS VEHICLE BACK TO CITY TIRES.
- 20 MR. POWELL WAS ADVISED OF THE REGISTERED WASTE TIRE
- 21 HAULER AND MANIFESTING REQUIREMENTS.
- 22 SO, BASICALLY, IN A NUTSHELL, THERE WAS MANIFESTS
- 23 DOCUMENTING TIRES LEAVING THE SITE, HOWEVER, THERE WAS NO DOCUMENTATION
- 24 OF TIRES ENTERING THE ECONOMY TIRE.
- <del>25 MS. SMALL: MR. CAMBRIDGE, BASED ON YOUR ESTIMA</del>TE OF THE
- 26 AMOUNT OF TIRES THAT WERE ON THE SITE AT YOUR LAST VISIT PREVIOUS TO

- 1 THIS REVOCATION HEARING, DOES THE MANIFEST DOCUMENT THAT ALL THOSE OVER
- 2 5,000, OR APPROXIMATELY ALL THOSE OVER 5,000 HAVE BEEN REMOVED FROM THE
- 3 SITE?
- 4 MR. CAMBRIDGE: YES.
- 5 CHAIRMAN EATON: ANY QUESTIONS?
- 6 MEMBER JONES: JUST ONE.
- 7 YOU SAID THAT THERE WAS A MANIFEST AFTER HE BECAME A
- 8 LEGAL TIRE HAULER?
- 9 MR. CAMBRIDGE: THAT'S CORRECT. MR. PORRAS HAS STATED THAT
- 10 WHEN HE BECAME A REGISTERED WASTE TIRE HAULER IN MARCH THIS YEAR -- AS A
- 11 NORMAL PROCEDURE WE SEND A COPY OF A MANIFEST TO HIM, APPARENTLY THIS
- 12 WAS NOT DONE ACCORDING TO MR. PORRAS. SO, SINCE THE LAST BOARD MEETING
- 13 I GAVE HIM A BOOKLET OF MANIFESTS, SO HE'S THEN SHIPPED THEM UNDER
- 14 MANIFEST.
- MEMBER JONES: OKAY.
- 16 CHAIRMAN EATON: MR. JONES?
- 17 MEMBER JONES: I THINK WE SENT HIM OUT TO -- NO, THAT'S A --
- 18 GO AHEAD.
- 19 CHAIRMAN EATON: MR. PORRAS, WELCOME BACK.
- 20 MR. PORRAS: THANK YOU. YEAH, I HAVE PROBABLY -- I DON'T
- 21 HAVE -- I RIGHT NOW I'M -- ALL THE TIRES ARE OUT AND EVERYTHING, AND I
- 22 HAVE A EMPTY TRAILER THERE RIGHT NOW READY TO RECEIVE WHATEVER
- 23 DISPOSABLE TIRES I RECEIVE. AND AS SOON AS IT'S FULL I'M GOING TO MOVE
- 24 IT BACK OUT.
- 25 MEMBER ROBERTI: MR. CHAIRMAN.
- 26 CHAIRMAN EATON: SENATOR ROBERTI? I'M SORRY.

- 1 MEMBER ROBERTI: ON THIS CASE I'M WONDERING IF WE -- MY OWN
- 2 thought is we ought to craft something which puts mr. porrals under tight
- 3 SUPERVISION. AND IF THERE IS ANY -- IF THERE'S ONE RECURRING BREACH
- 4 THEN STAFF SHOULD COME BACK TO US, AT WHICH POINT I WOULD VOTE TO REVOKE
- 5 HIS LICENSE.
- 6 I'M A LITTLE BIT CONCERNED TO DO THAT NOW BECAUSE WE -
- 7 I MEAN, IN MY OWN MINE, WE DON'T -- WE DON'T KNOW THE MOTIVATION FOR
- 8 STACKING THE TIRES. IT COULD HAVE BEEN THAT THIS IS THE ONLY WAY HE
- 9 THINKS HE'S GOING TO SURVIVE IN BUSINESS AND HE DIDN'T -- HE DIDN'T KNOW
- 10 OF ANYBODY WHO WAS GOING TO TAKE THE TIRES AWAY.
- 11 THAT BEING THE CASE, THAT MR. PORRAS' ACTIONS BE UNDER
- 12 PROBATION, TIGHTLY SUPERVISED FOR THE COMING YEAR. AND IF THERE IS ANY
- 13 VIOLATION, THAT THE STAFF WOULD REPORT BACK TO US FOR PURPOSES OF
- 14 REVOCATION.
- 15 I DON'T KNOW IF THAT IS PROPER OR LEGALLY-CRAFTED, BUT
- 16 --
- 17 CHAIRMAN EATON: PERHAPS MAYBE WE SHOULD FIND OUT FROM
- 18 COUNSEL WHAT OPTIONS WE HAVE, IN THE SENSE OF DO WE HAVE TO GO AHEAD AND
- 19 TAKE AN ACTION TO EITHER SUSPEND OR REVOKE, AND THEN SUSPEND THAT
- 20 ACTION, OR CAN WE JUST GO AHEAD AND TAKE THE ACTION, AND THEN MAKE IT AS
- 21 A CONDITION OF NO FURTHER OCCURRENCES WITHIN A SET TIME FRAME THAT'S
- 22 REASONABLE AND FORTHCOMING. AND, SO...?
- 23 MS. SMALL: I BELIEVE UNDER THE STATUTE AS IT'S WORDED YOU
- 24 ARE NOT REQUIRED TO TAKE ANY ACTION AT THIS POINT SINCE IT IS THE
- <del>25 doard's request for this hearing. So you could suspend it</del> if you chose
- 26 TO DO SO.

| 1  | AS FAR AS  |
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| 2  | MEMBER ROBERTI: SUSPEND?   |
| 3  | MS. SMALL: SUSPEND TAKING AN ACTION. IN OTHER WORDS, NOT                 |
| 4  | VOTE ON IT AT THIS TIME. THAT WAS PERFECTLY PERMISSIBLE UNDER THE        |
| 5  | STATUTE AS IT'S WRITTEN.   |
| 6  | AS FAR AS CONDITIONING THE PERMIT, THIS IS NOT AN                        |
| 7  | APPROPRIATE VEHICLE FOR THAT, THIS IS MERELY A REVOCATION OR SUSPENSION  |
| 8  | STATUTE THAT WE'RE TALKING ABOUT, AND THAT'S THE ONLY WAY THIS HAS BEEN  |
| 9  | NOTICED.   |
| 10 | HOWEVER, THERE IS NOTHING PREVENTING THE BOARD FROM                      |
| 11 | DIRECTING STAFF TO MAKE MONTHLY VISITS TO THE SITE, AND DIRECTING STAFF  |
| 12 | THAT IF THERE IS ANY VIOLATION THAT THEY SHALL COME BACK TO THE BOARD    |
| 13 | WITHIN THE NOTICEABLE TIME OF THAT VIOLATION FOR YOU TO TAKE ANY ACTION  |
| 14 | THAT YOU FEEL APPROPRIATE AT THAT TIME.                                  |
| 15 | MEMBER ROBERTI: THE MINIMUM NOTICE AT THE TIME.                          |
| 16 | MS. SMALL: CORRECT.  |
| 17 | MEMBER ROBERTI: YEAH.  |
| 18 | CHAIRMAN EATON: WOULD THAT MEAN THAT WE WOULD HAVE TO GO                 |
| 19 | THROUGH THE WHOLE NOTICING PROCESS, AS WE DID FOR THIS HEARING, IN TERMS |
| 20 | OF IT  |
| 21 | LET'S SAY, HYPOTHETICALLY, THAT IF WE SET A TIME FRAME                   |
| 22 | OF MONTHLY VISITS AND THIS IS NOT IN ANY WAY I'M TRYING TO FRAME IT -    |
| 23 | - BUT LET'S SAY THE NEXT SIX MONTHS WHICH SEEMS TO BE A                  |

MS. SMALL: UM-HUM?

25 THE SITE ONCE AGAIN.

### AUDI-X REPORTING

24 REASONABLE.... AND IN THE FIFTH MONTH THERE IS SOME SERIOUS PROBLEMS AT

1 CHAIRMAN EATON: THEN THE PROCESS THEN BY WHICH MR. 2 CAMBRIDGE, OR SOMEONE ELSE FROM THE STAFF, COULD COME BACK, IS THAT IN THE NEXT BOARD MEETING OR WOULD WE HAVE TO GO THROUGH THE - YOU KNOW, 3 THE NOTICE, WHICH WOULD BE PROBABLY SOMEWHERE BETWEEN 45 AND 60 DAYS? 4 5 MS. SMALL: THE NOTICE, UNDER AB 59, FOR TIRES IS APPROXIMATELY 35 DAYS. AND I THINK IT WOULD BE MOST APPROPRIATE TO DO 6 THAT, TO GIVE HIM A PROPER NOTICE. IF YOU TAKE AN ACTION TODAY. 8 IF YOU SUSPEND THE ACTION AND ARE CONTINUING THE 9 HEARING, THEN IT WOULD DEPEND UPON HOW YOU WANTED TO CRAFT THAT. 10 CHAIRMAN EATON: THAT'S MY QUESTION. IN OTHER WORDS, IF WE CEASE THE HEARING TODAY THEN YOU HAVE THE 35-DAY NOTICE. 11 MS. SMALL: ACTUALLY, NO. IF YOU CEASE THE HEARING TODAY 12 13 THEN IT WOULD PROBABLY -- THEN MY BEST SUGGESTION WOULD BE TO SAY 14 CONTINUING THIS FROM MONTH TO MONTH, GIVING HIM NOTICE THAT IT'S NOT 15 HAPPENING. THAT WAY HE'S ON NOTICE CONSTANTLY. 16 IF YOU TAKE YOUR ACTION TODAY THEN, IF WE DISCOVER A 17 VIOLATION, WE WOULD HAVE TO DO THE 35-DAY NOTICE BECAUSE YOU HAD 18 TERMINATED THIS HEARING PROCESS. CHAIRMAN EATON: I THINK THAT'S WHAT WE'RE SAYING. I'M 19 20 SAYING ONE WOULD BE TERMINATING THE PROCESS IN BY WHICH WE START THE 21 CLOCK ALL OVER AGAIN. 22 MS. SMALL: UM-HUM. 23 CHAIRMAN EATON: AND THAT CLOCK IS --MS. SMALL: THIRTY-FIVE DAYS. 24

26 BUT, IF WE CONTINUE IT AT A MONTH-TO-MONTH BASIS THEN

CHAIRMAN EATON: -- 35 DAYS.

- 1 THE CLOCK COULD BE LESS THAN 35 DAYS.
- MS. SMALL: CORRECT.
- 3 (THE PARTIES SIMULTANEOUSLY SPEAK.)
- 4 MEMBER ROBERTI: YEAH, THAT'S FINE WITH ME.
- 5 ONE OTHER POINT IS --
- 6 CHAIRMAN EATON: I'M JUST TRYING TO LAY OUT THE OPTIONS --
- 7 (THE PARTIES SIMULTANEOUSLY SPEAK.)
- 8 MEMBER ROBERTI: YEAH, THAT'S VERY FINE. THAT'S -- WELL,
- 9 THAT'S SIX MONTHS, 35-DAY NOTICE EVEN ON THE SIX-MONTH HE WOULD HAVE 35-
- 10 DAY NOTICE.
- 11 THE ONLY THING I WOULD LIKE TO ADD IS THAT IT BE AN
- 12 INDETERMINATE NUMBER OF VISITS FOR THE NEXT SIX MONTHS. BECAUSE, MR.
- 13 PORRAS IS A VERY NICE MAN, BUT I'M SURE HE'S VERY SMART, AND STARTS
- 14 FIGURING, WELL, THEY'LL BE HERE THE 15TH OF EVERY MONTH. WELL, I'M SURE
- 15 WE ALL UNDERSTAND THAT THAT WOULDN'T BE TOO SMART FROM OUR POINT OF
- 16 VIEW.
- 17 CHAIRMAN EATON: IF I COULD JUST GET SOME CLARIFICATION.
- 18 THEN WHAT I'M HEARING YOU SAY IS THAT YOU DO NOT WANT TO END THE
- 19 HEARING, YOU JUST WANT TO CONTINUING IT, ONGOING, WHICH THEN PROVIDES
- 20 YOU LESS -- OR YOU -- OR, THE OPTION IS, IS THAT IF TERMINATE THE
- 21 HEARING THEN HE GETS THE 35 DAYS' NOTICE?
- 22 MEMBER ROBERTI: I DON'T MIND --
- 23 CHAIRMAN EATON: AND I'M JUST --
- 24 MEMBER ROBERTI: I DON'T MIND TERMINATING THE HEARING AS
- 25 LONG AS WE CAN DO SOMETHING WITHIN 35 DAYS.
- 26 CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY.

| 1  | MEMBER ROBERTI: BECAUSE WE ALWAYS WE INVARIABLY WILL               |
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| 2  | MEET WITH 35 DAYS  |
| 3  | CHAIRMAN EATON: ABSOLUTELY.  |
| 4  | ANYONE ELSE, ANY COMMENTS? MR. PENNINGTON, MR. JONES?              |
| 5  | MEMBER PENNINGTON: MR. CHAIRMAN, THAT SEEMS TO BE                  |
| 6  | REASONABLE TO ME. I WOULD BE SUPPORT THE 60-DAY MORATORIUM, IF YOU |
| 7  | WILL. AND WITH INDETERMINATE AMOUNTS OF VISITS.                    |
| 8  | MEMBER ROBERTI: I THOUGHT IT WAS SIX MONTHS.                       |
| 9  | MEMBER PENNINGTON: WHAT'D I SAY?                                   |
| 10 | MEMBER ROBERTI: SIXTY DAYS.  |
| 11 | CHAIRMAN EATON: SIXTY DAYS.  |
| 12 | MEMBER PENNINGTON: WELL, SOME DAYS SEEM LIKE A MONTH               |
| 13 | (THE PARTIES SIMULTANEOUSLY SPEAK.)                                |
| 14 | CHAIRMAN EATON: ABSOLUTELY.  |
| 15 | MEMBER PENNINGTON: YEAH, SIX MONTHS.                               |
| 16 | CHAIRMAN EATON: THE SIX-MONTH TIME FRAME I THINK                   |
| 17 | MEMBER PENNINGTON: SO I WOULD I WOULD SECOND SENATOR               |
| 18 | ROBERTI'S MOTION.  |
| 19 | CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY. MR. JONES, COMMENT?                          |
| 20 | MEMBER JONES: THAT WORKS FOR ME.                                   |
| 21 | CHAIRMAN EATON: MS. SMALL? ABSOLUTELY.                             |
| 22 | MS. SMALL: IF I MAY STATE WHAT I BELIEVE THE BOARD'S INTENT        |
| 23 | IS?  |
| 24 | CHAIRMAN EATON: WE'RE HAVING A DISCUSSION HERE SO YOU'RE           |
| 25 | FREE TO  |

MS. SMALL: WHAT I BELIEVE I'M HEARING FROM THE BOARD

- 1 MEMBERS IS, AT THIS TIME YOU WOULD CHOOSE NOT TO REVOKE THE PERMIT OR
- 2 SUSPEND IT, BUT TO KEEP IT IN PLACE. AND TO DIRECT STAFF TO DO
- 3 UNDETERMINED AMOUNT OR TIMED INSPECTIONS WITHIN THE NEXT SIX MONTHS,
- 4 NOTICING IMMEDIATELY A HEARING FOR REVOCATION IF A VIOLATION IS NOTED.
- 5 MEMBER JONES: YES, THAT WORKS FOR ME.
- 6 CHAIRMAN EATON: YES. OKAY.
- 7 NOW, MR. PORRAS, LET ME ASK YOU. HAVING HEARD THAT,
- 8 AND HAVING BEEN SOMEWHAT PART OF THE DISCUSSION IN THERE, 10 YOU
- 9 UNDERSTAND WHAT WE'RE TALKING ABOUT?
- MR. PORRAS: YEAH.
- 11 CHAIRMAN EATON: WOULD YOU LIKE ME TO KIND OF GO OVER, JUST
- 12 IN --
- MR. PORRAS: I UNDERSTAND.
- 14 CHAIRMAN EATON: -- NOT -- BECAUSE I BELIEVE IT -- BECAUSE
- 15 IT IS A LEGAL PROCEEDING AND I THINK, YOU KNOW, YOU ARE REPRESENTING
- 16 YOURSELF --
- MR. PORRAS: NO, I UNDERSTAND.
- 18 CHAIRMAN EATON: -- AND THAT WE WILL NOT -- THE ACTION TODAY
- 19 WILL NOT BE TO SUSPEND OR REVOKE YOUR LICENSE. BUT THAT WE ARE
- 20 INSTRUCTING OUR STAFF TO GO OUT WITH NOT ANY SPECIFIC NUMBER, IT COULD
- 21 BE ONE, IT COULD BE 10, IT COULD BE 50. AND AT ANY ONE OF THOSE TIMES
- 22 IF THERE'S ANY VIOLATION WHATSOEVER YOU WILL BE NOTICED FOR ANOTHER
- 23 HEARING WITHIN 35 DAYS, AT WHICH TIME THE BOARD WILL TAKE ITS ACTION.
- 24 WHICH I THINK WILL PROBABLY WIND UP NOT BEING IN YOUR BEST INTEREST.
- 25 MR. PORRAS: I UNDERSTAND.
- 26 CHAIRMAN EATON: AND, SO THAT GOES FOR ANYTHING.

- 1 IS THERE ANYTHING THAT YOU CARE TO SAY, OR NEED
- 2 CLARIFICATION ON?
- 3 MR. PORRAS: NO, I UNDERSTAND.
- 4 CHAIRMAN EATON: AND THIS IS GOING TO BE NOT, YOU KNOW, FOR
- 5 THE NEXT MONTH OR TWO, THIS IS GOING TO BE AT LEAST UNTIL 4- LET'S SEE,
- 6 THIS IS THE BEGINNING OF MAY, SO WE WOULD SAY, I GUESS, PROBABLY
- 7 REASONABLY, MAYBE JANUARY 1ST, THE YEAR 2000. PERHAPS IF YOU CAN MAKE
- 8 IT TO THE NEW MILLENNIUM YOU'LL BE OKAY.
- 9 BUT, I MEAN, DO YOU -- I MEAN --
- 10 MR. PORRAS: YEAH, I -- YEAH, JUST KEEP IT CLEAN, RIGHT.
- 11 JUST KEEP IT THE WAY IT IS RIGHT NOW.
- 12 MS. TOBIAS: MR. CHAIR, COULD I CLARIFY --
- 13 CHAIRMAN EATON: SURE. I JUST -- I THINK I JUST TO
- 14 MAKE SURE -- THANK YOU.
- MS. TOBIAS: I THINK THIS IS GOOD.
- 16 BUT, IF HE BASICALLY HAS NO VIOLATIONS WITHIN THE NEXT
- 17 SIX MONTHS THEN DO YOU WANT IT TO COME BACK, OR ARE YOU JUST GOING TO
- 18 LET HIM GO UNTIL OR UNLESS THERE IS ANOTHER VIOLATION?
- 19 MEMBER JONES: JUST LET HIM --
- 20 MS. TOBIAS: OKAY. SO HE'S OFF IF HE'S OKAY WITH THAT AND
- 21 THEN THEY JUST DO THE REGULAR INSPECTIONS ON -- OKAY.
- 22 MEMBER ROBERTI: I WANT MR. PORRAS TO REALIZE THAT THAT
- 23 DOESN'T MEAN HE'S FREE TO GO BACK. IT'S JUST THAT WE WON'T BE SENDING
- 24 THE TROOPS OUT THERE. BUT YOU STILL HAVE TO --
- 25 MR. PORRAS: YEAH.
- 26 MEMBER ROBERTI: YOU ALWAYS HAVE TO MAINTAIN THE WASTE TIRE

- 1 STANDARDS THAT THIS BOARD HAS ADOPTED.
- 2 MR. PORRAS: YEAH.
- 3 MEMBER JONES: MR. CHAIRMAN?
- 4 CHAIRMAN EATON: MR. JONES.
- 5 MEMBER JONES: WE'RE DEALING WITH THE WASTE TIME FACILITY
- 6 PERMIT TODAY. BUT YOU'RE ALSO A LICENSED HAULER.
- 7 MR. PORRAS: YEAH.
- 8 MEMBER JONES: BOTH SIDES HAVE GOT TO BE WORKING RIGHT.
- 9 MR. PORRAS: OKAY.
- 10 MEMBER JONES: OKAY?
- 11 CHAIRMAN EATON: NOW, I JUST -- ONE OTHER QUESTION BEFORE WE
- 12 BEGIN. MR. (INDISC) SPOKE TO YOU, WENT OVER THE RULES AND REGULATIONS.
- 13 WAS HE LICENSED?
- MR. CAMBRIDGE: NO, HE WAS NOT.
- 15 CHAIRMAN EATON: YOU UNDERSTAND THAT ALSO YOU'VE GOT TO
- 16 WATCH WHO YOU HANG OUT WITH.
- 17 MR. PORRAS: YEAH.
- 18 CHAIRMAN EATON: YOU KNOW? YOU'RE DOING FINE, OR AT LEAST
- 19 YOU THINK YOU CAN DO FINE, BUT IT'S THE OTHER INDIVIDUALS. ... OKAY.
- 20 WELL, FIRST WE HAVE TO PROBABLY DO A RESOLUTION.
- 21 MEMBER PENNINGTON: RIGHT. I THOUGHT THE SENATOR MADE A
- 22 MOTION, AND --
- 23 CHAIRMAN EATON: YEAH, AND I'M JUST LOOKING TO SEE WHAT THE
- 24 ORIGINAL RESOLUTION THAT WE HAD IN -
- 25 MEMBER PENNINGTON: OH, OKAY. SURE.
- 26 CHAIRMAN EATON: -- BEFORE US, AND WHAT THE WHEREFORE

- 1 CLAUSES HAPPENED TO BE, BECAUSE THERE MAY BE SOME ITEMS IN THERE, IF WE
- 2 ADOPT IT, THAT AREN'T -- THAT ARE EITHER IN CONFLICT OR INCOMSISTENT
- 3 WITH THE ACTION THAT WE AS A BOARD ARE DESIROUS OF TAKING.
- 4 MS. TOBIAS: WELL, I THINK WHAT WE WOULD DO, MR. CHAIR, IS
- 5 ADD A PARAGRAPH, A WHEREAS, THAT BASICALLY REFLECTS YOUR DISCUSSION OF
- 6 TODAY, THAT HE HAS CLEANED UP THE TIRES ON THE SITE AND THAT HE HAS
- 7 BASICALLY TOLD THE BOARD THAT HE CAN STAY IN COMPLIANCE WITH THIS
- 8 PERMIT. AND THEN WE WOULD CHANGE THE RESOLUTION CLAUSE TO BASICALLY
- 9 REFLECT YOUR MOTION. IS THAT --
- 10 CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY. I SEE THAT. SO WE WOULD ADD A
- 11 PARAGRAPH ON --
- MS. TOBIAS: ANOTHER WHEREAS --
- 13 (THE PARTIES SIMULTANEOUSLY SPEAK.)
- 14 CHAIRMAN EATON: -- RESOLUTION 1999-10, WHEREAS, JUST BEFORE
- 15 THE THEREFORE RESOLVED, AND WE'LL CHANGE IT TO THE ACTIONS BY WHICH THE
- 16 SENATOR HAD MADE THE MOTION, WHICH WAS BASICALLY TO A --
- MS. TOBIAS: A SIX-MONTH --
- 18 CHAIRMAN EATON: -- SIX-MONTH PERIOD OF ALLOWING
- 19 INDETERMINATE NUMBER OF INSPECTIONS, AND THEN THE VIOLATIONS WOULD COME
- 20 BACK AND BE NOTICED WITHIN THE 35-DAY TIME FRAME.
- 21 OKAY. I BELIEVE THAT SENATOR ROBERTI HAS MOVED THAT
- 22 MOTION. MR. PENNINGTON HAS SECONDED IT, SO MADAM SECRETARY, WOULD YOU
- 23 PLEASE CALL THE ROLL?
- THE SECRETARY: BOARD MEMBERS JONES?
- 25 MEMBER JONES: AYE.
- THE SECRETARY: PENNINGTON?

| 1  | MEMBER PENNINGTON: AYE.  |
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| 2  | THE SECRETARY: ROBERTI?  |
| 3  | MEMBER ROBERTI: AYE.   |
| 4  | THE SECRETARY: CHAIRMAN EATON?   |
| 5  | CHAIRMAN EATON: AYE.   |
| 6  | MOTION PASSES.   |
| 7  | BE CAREFUL OUT THERE.  |
| 8  | MR. PORRAS: YEAH, THANK YOU.   |
| 9  | CHAIRMAN EATON: WELL, GIVE THE BOARD MEMBERS JUST A FEW                  |
| 10 | SECONDS OF COURTESY, WE JUST GOT SOMETHING HANDED TO US. THANK YOU.      |
| 11 | (WHEREUPON A BREAK WAS TAKEN)  |
| 12 |  |
| 13 | CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY. BACK ON THE ORDER OF BUSINESS. FOR                 |
| 14 | THOSE OF YOU WHO MAY BE WONDERING WHAT'S KIND OF GOING ON HER OUR        |
| 15 | DISCUSSION BEFORE WE ENDED AT BREAK, TRYING TO RESOLVE SOME OF THE       |
| 16 | ISSUES THAT POPPED UP WITH REGARD TO THE BASE-YEAR ADJUSTMENTS, I THINK  |
| 17 | THE BOARD IS READY TO TAKE AN ACTION AND A MOTION REGARDING THOSE ITEMS. |
| 18 | AND THIS MOTION WOULD APPLY TO ALL THE JURISDICTIONS                     |
| 19 | LISTED IN TODAY'S NEW BUSINESS AGENDA ITEMS, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THE   |
| 20 | CITY OF LOS ANGELES, WHICH I BELIEVE IS ITEM NO. 9.                      |
| 21 | IF MY BOARD MEMBERS WILL JUST SAY SOMETHING CONFIRM                      |
| 22 | THAT?  |
| 23 | MEMBER JONES: YEP.   |
| 24 | CHAIRMAN EATON: AND THAT THAT ITEM, DUE TO CIRCUMSTANCES                 |
| 25 | WHICH SEEM TO BE THE THRESHOLD WILL BE TAKEN UP AS A REGULAR ITEM IN THE |

26 REGULAR COURSE OF BUSINESS.

| 1  | BUT BEFORE I BEGIN THAT I'D LIKE TO FIND OUT I'M                        |
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| 2  | GOING TO NAME THE JURISDICTIONS WHICH ARE GOING TO BE BEFORE US AND ASK |
| 3  | IF THERE'S ANY REPRESENTATIVES THAT ARE HERE ON THEIR BEHALF. AND, IF   |
| 4  | SO, IF THEY WOULD LIKE TO COME AND SPEAK AFTER THE MOTION HAS BEEN MADE |
| 5  | AND WE WILL ENTERTAIN THAT DISCUSSION.                                  |
| 6  | HALF MOON BAY? OKAY. LET THE RECORD REFLECT THAT                        |
| 7  | THERE IS SOMEONE. AND YOUR NAME IS I KNOW IT, I JUST DIDN'T             |
| 8  | MS. SMITH: I'M THERESE SMITH, I'M THE PUBLIC WORKS                      |
| 9  | DIRECTOR.   |
| 10 | CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY. CITY OF SAN BRUNO, SAN MATEO COUNTY?              |
| 11 | NO REPRESENTATIVE HERE. OKAY.   |
| 12 | BELL GARDENS? BELLFLOWER? BURBANK? CERRITOS?                            |
| 13 | MEMBER JONES: BURBANK RAISED A HAND TOO.                                |
| 14 | CHAIRMAN EATON: BURBANK? OKAY. I'LL JUST GO THROUGH THEM.               |
| 15 | IF YOU THE BOARD MEMBERS COULD HELP WHILE I READ THROUGH THE NUMBERS    |
| 16 | THAT WOULD BE HELPFUL.  |
| 17 | CHAIRMAN EATON: CLAREMONT?  |
| 18 | MEMBER JONES: YEAH.   |
| 19 | CHAIRMAN EATON: CUDAHY?   |
| 20 | MEMBER JONES: YEAH.   |
| 21 | CHAIRMAN EATON: HIDDEN HILLS?   |
| 22 | PUBLIC: PRESENT.  |
| 23 | CHAIRMAN EATON: LAKEWOOD?   |
| 24 | PUBLIC: PRESENT.  |
| 25 | CHAIRMAN EATON: LAWNDALE?   |

MEMBER JONES: PRESENT.

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OF

| 1  | CHAIRMAN EATON: LOMITA? LYNWOOD? MAYWOOD?           |
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| 2  | MEMBER JONES: YEAH.                                 |
| 3  | CHAIRMAN EATON: MONTEREY PARK?                      |
| 4  | MEMBER JONES: YEAH.                                 |
| 5  | CHAIRMAN EATON: NORWALK?                            |
| 6  | MEMBER JONES: YEAH.                                 |
| 7  | CHAIRMAN EATON: PALOS VERDES ESTATES?               |
| 8  | ROLLING HILLS?                                      |
| 9  | SAN FERNANDO?                                       |
| 10 | MR. CAMBRIDGE: HERE.                                |
| 11 | CHAIRMAN EATON: TEMPLE CITY?                        |
| 12 | MR. CAMBRIDGE: YEAH.                                |
| 13 | CHAIRMAN EATON: TORRANCE?                           |
| 14 | PUBLIC: HERE.                                       |
| 15 | CHAIRMAN EATON: WEST COVINA?                        |
| 16 | PUBLIC: PRESENT.                                    |
| 17 | CHAIRMAN EATON: AND WEST HOLLYWOOD?                 |
| 18 | VOICE: (NOT AUDIBLE; POSITIVE RESPONSE?)            |
| 19 | CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY. CITY OF PARAMOUNT?            |
| 20 | MR. CAMBRIDGE: HERE.                                |
| 21 | CHAIRMAN EATON: CITY OF SOUTH EL MONTE?             |
| 22 | CITY OF WHITTIER? OKAY.                             |
| 23 | CITY OF WESTLAKE VILLAGE?                           |
| 24 | PUBLIC: HERE.                                       |
| 25 | - CHAIRMAN EATON: LAGUNA BEACH, ORANGE COUNTY? CITY |

## AUDI-X REPORTING

26 COLTON? CITY OF LOMA LINDA? CITY OF HIGHLAND? CITY OF HESPERIA?

| 1  | MR. CAMBRIDGE: HERE.  |
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| 2  | CHAIRMAN EATON: AND THE UNINCORPORATED AREA OF SAN  |
| 3  | BERNARDINO COUNTY?  |
| 4  | MR. CAMBRIDGE: HERE.  |
| 5  | CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY.   |
| 6  | MEMBER PENNINGTON: MR. CHAIRMAN?  |
| 7  | CHAIRMAN EATON: MR. PENNINGTON.   |
| 8  | MEMBER PENNINGTON: I THINK YOU MISSED TWO   |
| 9  | CHAIRMAN EATON: I PROBABLY DID.   |
| 10   | MEMBER PENNINGTON: CONCORD  |
| 11   | CHAIRMAN EATON: I'M LOOKING.  |
| 12   | MEMBER PENNINGTON: IT'S THE THIRD ONE DOWN.   |
| 13   | CHAIRMAN EATON: THIRD ONE DOWN. YES, YOU'RE ABSOLUTELY  |
|  |   |
| 14   | CORRECT. I DIDN'T   |
| 14<br>15   | CORRECT. I DIDN'T  MEMBER PENNINGTON: AND CERRITOS?   |
|  |   |
| 15<br>16   | MEMBER PENNINGTON: AND CERRITOS?  |
| 15<br>16   | MEMBER PENNINGTON: AND CERRITOS?  CHAIRMAN EATON: CERRITOS I HAD MENTIONED. BUT I THINK   |
| 15<br>16<br>17<br>18                               | MEMBER PENNINGTON: AND CERRITOS?  CHAIRMAN EATON: CERRITOS I HAD MENTIONED. BUT I THINK  YOU'RE RIGHT, THERE WAS SOME CONFUSION THERE   |
| 15<br>16<br>17<br>18                               | MEMBER PENNINGTON: AND CERRITOS?  CHAIRMAN EATON: CERRITOS I HAD MENTIONED. BUT I THINK  YOU'RE RIGHT, THERE WAS SOME CONFUSION THERE  MEMBER PENNINGTON: AND THERE WAS ONE OTHER THAT YOU SAID   |
| 15<br>16<br>17<br>18                               | MEMBER PENNINGTON: AND CERRITOS?  CHAIRMAN EATON: CERRITOS I HAD MENTIONED. BUT I THINK  YOU'RE RIGHT, THERE WAS SOME CONFUSION THERE  MEMBER PENNINGTON: AND THERE WAS ONE OTHER THAT YOU SAID  THAT I DON'T HAVE ON MY LIST   |
| 15<br>16<br>17<br>18<br>19<br>20                   | MEMBER PENNINGTON: AND CERRITOS?  CHAIRMAN EATON: CERRITOS I HAD MENTIONED. BUT I THINK  YOU'RE RIGHT, THERE WAS SOME CONFUSION THERE  MEMBER PENNINGTON: AND THERE WAS ONE OTHER THAT YOU SAID  THAT I DON'T HAVE ON MY LIST  PUBLIC: PARAMOUNT.   |
| 15<br>16<br>17<br>18<br>19<br>20<br>21             | MEMBER PENNINGTON: AND CERRITOS?  CHAIRMAN EATON: CERRITOS I HAD MENTIONED. BUT I THINK  YOU'RE RIGHT, THERE WAS SOME CONFUSION THERE  MEMBER PENNINGTON: AND THERE WAS ONE OTHER THAT YOU SAID  THAT I DON'T HAVE ON MY LIST  PUBLIC: PARAMOUNT.  MEMBER PENNINGTON: PARAMOUNT, YEAH.  |
| 15<br>16<br>17<br>18<br>19<br>20<br>21<br>22       | MEMBER PENNINGTON: AND CERRITOS?  CHAIRMAN EATON: CERRITOS I HAD MENTIONED. BUT I THINK  YOU'RE RIGHT, THERE WAS SOME CONFUSION THERE  MEMBER PENNINGTON: AND THERE WAS ONE OTHER THAT YOU SAID  THAT I DON'T HAVE ON MY LIST  PUBLIC: PARAMOUNT.  MEMBER PENNINGTON: PARAMOUNT, YEAH.  CHAIRMAN EATON: THAT WOULD HAVE BEEN NUMBER FIVE.                           |
| 15<br>16<br>17<br>18<br>19<br>20<br>21<br>22<br>23 | MEMBER PENNINGTON: AND CERRITOS?  CHAIRMAN EATON: CERRITOS I HAD MENTIONED. BUT I THINK  YOU'RE RIGHT, THERE WAS SOME CONFUSION THERE  MEMBER PENNINGTON: AND THERE WAS ONE OTHER THAT YOU SAID  THAT I DON'T HAVE ON MY LIST  PUBLIC: PARAMOUNT.  MEMBER PENNINGTON: PARAMOUNT, YEAH.  CHAIRMAN EATON: THAT WOULD HAVE BEEN NUMBER FIVE.  MEMBER PENNINGTON: OKAY. |

| 1  | MEMBER PENNINGTON: OKAY.   |    |
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| 2  | CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY. MEMBERS MR. JONES?                               |    |
| 3  | MEMBER JONES: MR. CHAIRMAN?  |    |
| 4  | CHAIRMAN EATON: COULD HAVE SOME CLARIFICATION FROM THE                 |    |
| 5  | STAFF AS WELL  |    |
| 6  | MEMBER JONES: RIGHT.   |    |
| 7  | CHAIRMAN EATON: IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS.                             |    |
| 8  | MEMBER JONES: THERE WERE A COUPLE THAT WERE DONE THAT WER              | .E |
| 9  | HAD THEIR OWN 1995 WASTE GENERATION STUDY. IF YOU COULD JUST           |    |
| 10 | IDENTIFY THOSE FOR US? I KNOW WESTLAKE VILLAGE WAS ONE OF THEM.        |    |
| 11 | MR. CHANDLER: SO, PAT SCHIAVO, COULD YOU COME FORWARD AND              | 1  |
| 12 | CLARIFY THAT IN ANSWER TO MR. JONES' QUESTION? I BELIEVE IT WAS THE    |    |
| 13 | CITY OF LOS ANGELES AND WAS IT WESTLAKE VILLAGE? BOTH HAVE             |    |
| 14 | COMPLETED A COMPLETE WASTE CHARACTERIZATION STUDY FOR 1995? CORRECT?   |    |
| 15 | MR. SCHIAVO: RIGHT, 1995 WAS REFLECTED IN THE NEW                      |    |
| 16 | CHARACTERIZATION STUDY.  |    |
| 17 | DOES THAT ANSWER YOUR QUESTION?  |    |
| 18 | MEMBER JONES: IT DOES. THERE AREN'T ANY OTHERS.                        |    |
| 19 | MR. SCHIAVO: NO.   |    |
| 20 | MEMBER JONES: OKAY.  |    |
| 21 | CHAIRMAN EATON: SO WITHOUT OBJECTION, THAT TO BE                       |    |
| 22 | CONSISTENT, THAT IN ADDITION TO THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES BECAUSE OF     |    |
| 23 | THEIR WASTE CHARACTERIZATION STUDY THEN THE CITY OF WESTLAKE VILLAGE   | Ε, |
| 24 | ALSO IN LOS ANGELES COUNTY, WOULD ALSO FALL INTO THAT CATEGORY AND NOT |    |
| 25 | BE PART OF THE MOTION.   |    |

# 26 MEMBER JONES: MR. CHAIRMAN?

- 1 CHAIRMAN EATON: YES?
- 2 MEMBER JONES: BASED ON --
- 3 CHAIRMAN EATON: IF I COULD JUST -- JUST ONE THING?
- 4 MEMBER JONES: YEAH.
- 5 CHAIRMAN EATON: WITH REGARD TO THE -- OKAY, GO AHEAD, I'M
- 6 SORRY MR. JONES.
- 7 MEMBER JONES: BASED ON ALL THE DISCUSSIONS WE HAD TODAY ON
- 8 HALF MOON BAY, OBVIOUSLY YOU UNDERSTAND, I HOPE, THAT HALF MOON BAY WAS
- 9 THE CATCHER OF WHAT EVERYBODY IN THIS ROOM WAS GOING TO END UP
- 10 EXPERIENCING.
- 11 WE HAVE A DILEMMA IN FRONT OF US AS FAR AS BASE-YEAR
- 12 NUMBERS AND -- BUT WE HAVE TO MOVE FORWARD. AND THE WAY TO MOVE FORWARD
- 13 IS -- I'M GOING TO MAKE A MOTION HERE IN A SECOND THAT IT -- THAT TAKES
- 14 ALL THOSE CITIES EXCEPT L.A. AND WESTLAKE VILLAGE -- AND TRIES TO DEAL
- 15 WITH THIS COMPREHENSIVELY SO THAT YOU CAN ALL MOVE FORWARD AS CITIES,
- 16 AND WE CAN MOVE FORWARD AND KEEP THE INTEGRITY OF THIS LAW AND BILL AND
- 17 INFRASTRUCTURE THAT WAS BUILT IN TACT. SO BEAR WITH ME AS I TRY TO WORK
- 18 THROUGH THIS.
- 19 I'M MAKING A MOTION THAT ARE GOING TO COVER A NUMBER
- 20 OF ITEMS AT ONCE. AFTER CONSIDERATION OF THIS MOTION WE WILL NOT BE
- 21 CALLING THESE ITEMS INDIVIDUALLY SO ANY JURISDICTION WHO'S HERE THAT
- 22 WISHES TO SPEAK ON THIS ISSUE, NOW'S YOUR CHANCE.
- 23 I'D LIKE TO MOVE THE FOLLOWING. BASED ON THE
- 24 INFORMATION DISCUSSED SO FAR, THE INFORMATION PROVIDED IN QUR AGENDA
- <del>25 Packages, i don't believe that there is sufficient informat</del>ion to
- 26 SUPPORT BASE-YEAR ADJUSTMENTS. AT THE PRESENT TIME THE BOARD WILL NOT

- 1 APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE THE REQUEST OF BASE-YEAR ADJUSTMENTS. INSTEAD, WE
- 2 WILL DIRECT THAT THE CONSIDERATION OF THESE ADJUSTMENTS BE CONSIDERED
- 3 TOGETHER WITH THE BIENNIAL REVIEW FOR THESE JURISDICTIONS.
- 4 IN PERFORMING THOSE BIENNIAL REVIEWS AND BRINGING THEM
- 5 BACK BEFORE THE BOARD, STAFF SHOULD REVIEW, AS PROVIDED BY THE
- 6 JURISDICTIONS, DETAILED INFORMATION AND RECORDS SUPPORTING OR JUSTIFYING
- 7 THE REQUESTED BASE-YEAR CHANGES, PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION INFORMATION
- 8 WHICH MAY SUPPORT OR NOT SUPPORT THE 1995 DIVERSION RATES THAT WOULD BE
- 9 THE RESULT OF THE REQUESTED BASE-YEAR CHANGES, INFORMATION REGARDING THE
- 10 1996 DIVERSION RATES AND PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION WHICH MAY OR MAY NOT
- 11 SUPPORT THE ACCURACY OF THE '95 DIVERSION RATES THAT WOULD BE THE RESULT
- 12 OF THE REQUESTED BASE-YEAR CHANGES.
- 13 AT THE TIME OF THE BIENNIAL REVIEWS THE HOARD WILL
- 14 DETERMINE WHETHER OR NOT TO APPROVE THE REQUESTED BASE-YEAR CHANGES.
- 15 IF, BASED ON THE INFORMATION PROVIDED, THE BOARD BELIEVES THE
- 16 JURISDICTIONS' BASE-YEAR AND/OR DIVERSION RATES ARE NOT ACQURATE THE
- 17 BOARD MAY DIRECT THAT A COMPLIANCE HEARING BE SCHEDULED TO PLACE THE
- 18 JURISDICTIONS ON A COMPLIANCE ORDER. THE COMPLIANCE ORDER WOULD
- 19 REQUIRE, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THAT THE JURISDICTION BE REQUIRED TO REVISE
- 20 THE INACCURATE NUMBERS AND MAY INCLUDE A REQUIREMENT THAT THE
- 21 JURISDICTION COMPLETE A NEW WASTE CHARACTERIZATION GENERATION STUDY.
- 22 CHAIRMAN EATON: I THINK, MR. ROBERTI, YOU HAD ONE
- 23 ADDITIONAL, I THINK, SEMANTIC --
- 24 MEMBER ROBERTI: ONE SEMANTIC CHANGE.
- <del>25 CHAIRMAN EATON: AND I THINK IT WAS IN THE SECO</del>ND TO LAST
- 26 PARAGRAPH --

1 MEMBER ROBERTI: THE SECOND TO LAST PARAGRAPH -2 CHAIRMAN EATON: -- THIRD SENTENCE --MEMBER ROBERTI: THAT IS IF THE BASE -- BASED ON THE 3 INFORMATION PROVIDED THE BOARD BELIEVES THE JURISDICTION'S BASE-YEAR 4 AND/OR DIVERSION RATES ARE NOT ACCURATE. I WOULD CHANGE THAT TO, IF BASED ON THE INFORMATION PROVIDED THE BOARD BELIEVES THAT THE 6 JURISDICTION'S DIVERSION RATE OR AND/OR DIVERSION RATE BASED ON THE BASE-YEAR. BUT I DON'T WANT IT JUST TO BE THE BASE-YEAR BECAUSE, YOU 8 9 KNOW, WE COULD HAVE A NONCOMPLIANCE SIMPLY BECAUSE THEY HAVE A 10 DISAGREEMENT ON A COMPUTATION OF BASE-YEAR. 11 MEMBER JONES: SO HOW DO YOU WANT TO AMEND THAT --MEMBER ROBERTI: I DON'T EVEN THINK WHILE WE -- I JUST THINK 12 13 ALL WE NEED IS THAT THE DIVERSION RATE IS NOT ACCURATE. WHY DO WE NEED ANYTHING ELSE? WHY DO WE HAVE TO MAKE REFERENCE TO THE BASE-YEAR? THE 14 15 DIVERSION RATE PRESUMES THAT. 16 MEMBER JONES: YOU HAVE TO HAVE THE BASE-YEAR TO KNOW THE 17 DIVERSION RATE. 18 MEMBER ROBERTI: I WOULD JUST STRIKE THE WORD "BASE-YEAR AND/OR." 19 20 CHAIRMAN EATON: I BELIEVE YOU HAVE TO ESTABLISH A BASE-21 YEAR. 22 MEMBER JONES: YEAH. 23 CHAIRMAN EATON: THAT'S THE ONLY REQUIREMENT, THERE HAS TO 24 BE A JUMPING-OFF POINT ---MEMBER ROBERTI: BUT THE JURISDICTIONS' BASE-YEAR OR

26 DIVERSION -- BASE-YEAR AND DIVERSION RATE BASED THEREON. THERE MUST BE

- 1 I GUESS -- MS. JONES' ENGLISH CLASS WE CAN USE -- FORGET ABOUT THAT AND
- 2 USE BASE TWICE.
- 3 CHAIRMAN EATON: I'M JUST GOING BACK THROUGH AND JUST MAKING
- 4 -- NOT FOR ANYTHING -- JUST TO MAKE SURE THAT IT'S ACCURATE FOR THE
- 5 RECORD.
- 6 MEMBER ROBERTI: YEAH.
- 7 CHAIRMAN EATON: THE BOARD BELIEVES THAT THE BASE-YEAR
- 8 AND/OR DIVERSION BASED THEREON -- DIVERSION RATES BASED THEREON --
- 9 MEMBER ROBERTI: YEAH.
- 10 CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY.
- 11 MEMBER ROBERTI: THAT THE JURISDICTIONS' BASE-YEAR -- THE
- 12 JURISDICTIONS' DIVERSION RATE AND -- NO, THAT'S NOT....
- 13 CHAIRMAN EATON: SEE, BECAUSE THE BASE-YEAR MAY BE NOT 1995,
- 14 AND BY WHICH THEY'RE GOING TO LOOK AT IS '95.
- 15 MEMBER ROBERTI: RIGHT.
- 16 CHAIRMAN EATON: RIGHT. PERHAPS -- YOU KNOW WHAT --
- 17 MEMBER ROBERTI: THAT THE JURISDICTIONS' DIVERSION RATES
- 18 AND/OR -- THE JURISDICTIONS' DIVERSION RATE BASED ON BASE-YEAR ANALYSIS.
- 19 THAT'S NOT GOING TO --
- 20 CHAIRMAN EATON: NO. I THINK MAYBE WHAT WE'LL TRY TO DO --
- 21 I DON'T KNOW IF MR. BLOCK WAS HERE DURING THAT TIME, BUT MAYBE WHAT WE
- 22 CAN DO DURING THIS TIME, BECAUSE WE DID SAY THAT THE JURISDICTION WILL
- 23 BE GIVEN AN OPPORTUNITY TO SPEAK, THAT WE CAN KIND OF CLARf 1FY THAT
- 24 LANGUAGE, THEN WE'LL RESTATE --
- 25 MEMBER ROBERTI: RIGHT. RIGHT.
- 26 CHAIRMAN EATON: -- WHAT THEIR --

- 1 MEMBER ROBERTI: RIGHT. MAYBE THEY CAN HELP US --2 CHAIRMAN EATON: AND JUST FOR PURPOSES, MR. JONES, DO YOU WANT TO NAME THE CITIES --3 4 MEMBER JONES: I DO. CHAIRMAN EATON: -- THAT WERE GOING TO BE PART OF IT? AND 5 THEN AT THAT TIME I THINK WE'LL BE ABLE TO GET THE OTHER LANGUAGE AND 6 THE JURISDICTIONS CAN COME UP AND COMMENT PRIOR TO TAKING ANY ACTION. OKAY. MR. JONES. 8 CHAIRMAN EATON: THE JURISDICTIONS ARE HALF MOON BAY IN SAN 9 10 MATEO COUNTY; SAN BRUNO IN SAN MATEO COUNTY; CITY OF CONCORD IN CONTRA 11 COSTA COUNTY; CITY OF BELL GARDENS, BELLFLOWER, BURBANK, CERRITOS, CLAREMONT, CUDAHY, HIDDEN HILLS, LAKEWOOD, LAWNDALE, LOMITA, LYNWOOD, 12 13 MAYWOOD, MONTEREY PARK, NORWALK, PALOS VERDES ESTATES, ROLLING HILLS, 14 SAN FERNANDO, TEMPLE CITY, TORRANCE, WEST COVINA, AND WEST HOLLYWOOD --15 THERE'S MORE -- CITY OF SOUTH EL MONTE --16 CHAIRMAN EATON: IS PARAMOUNT PART OF THAT OR NOT? 17 MEMBER JONES: NO, PARAMOUNT WAS -- THEY'RE A SOURCE 18 REDUCTION --CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY. I GOT YOU. 19 20 MEMBER JONES: OKAY. CITY OF WHITTIER. LAGUNA BEACH IN 21 ORANGE COUNTY. CITY OF COLEMAN (PHON), SAN BERNARDINO. CITY OF LOMA 22 LINDA IN SAN BERNARDINO. CITY OF HIGHLANDS IN SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY.
- 25 CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY. ALL RIGHTY.

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26 MEMBER JONES: THAT'S MY MOTION, MR. CHAIRMAN. I WOULD LIKE

CITY OF HESPERIA IN SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY. AND THE UNINCOMPORATED SAN

- 1 TO JUST STATE ONE MORE THING?
- 2 CHAIRMAN EATON: UM-HUM.
- 3 MEMBER JONES: THE REASON FOR THE ACCURACY, THE DISCUSSION
- 4 IN THIS MOTION, IS THAT UNDER AB 939, AND WE HAVE DONE THIS WITH ANOTHER
- 5 JURISDICTION THAT HAD EXCEPTIONALLY HIGH DIVERSION NUMBERS BUT DID NOT
- 6 HAVE PROGRAMS TO SUPPORT THEM, PART OF OUR CHARGE UNDER AB 939 IS TO
- 7 ENSURE THE ACCURACY AS BEST WE CAN OF BOTH THE NUMBERS AND THE
- 8 DIVERSION. SO I WANTED THAT TO BE UNDERSTOOD. IN ONE CASE WE HAD
- 9 SUPER-HIGH DIVERSION AND NO PROGRAMS, THAT JURISDICTION IS ON A
- 10 COMPLIANCE SCHEDULE, AS WELL AS OTHERS, THAT ARE COMING FROM THE OTHER
- 11 DIRECTION. THE INTENT IS TO TRY TO GET IT RIGHT WITHOUT IMPACTING ALL
- 12 THESE CITIES AND COUNTIES.
- 13 MR. CHANDLER: MR. CHAIRMAN, IF I COULD?
- 14 CHAIRMAN EATON: MR. CHANDLER.
- 15 MR. CHANDLER: I THINK IT'D BE APPROPRIATE, SINCE THIS IS A
- 16 LONG MOTION, AND YOU'VE INVITED SOME WHO ARE REPRESENTING VARIOUS
- 17 JURISDICTIONS TO COME FORWARD IF THEY CHOOSE, THAT WHILE IT'S STILL A
- 18 PROPOSED MOTION AND, THEREFORE, IN DRAFT FORM, THAT I PUT A COPY OF THE
- 19 MOTION IN THE BACK OF THE ROOM SO THOSE JURISDICTIONS WHO WISH TO REVIEW
- 20 WHAT MR. JONES HAS JUST OUTLINED CAN DO SO.
- 21 AND SO, TREVOR, COULD I ASK THAT YOU COME UP AND JUST
- 22 PUT THIS ON THE TABLE FOR ANYBODY WHO MAY WANT A COPY?
- CHAIRMAN EATON: AND WHILE HE'S DOING THAT, I HAVE ACTUALLY
- 24 SEVEN SPEAKER SLIPS, ALTHOUGH THREE ARE FROM THE SAME INDIVIDUAL.
- 25 AND I HAVE MR. DAVE (INDISC) FROM THE CITY OF WESTLAKE
- 26 VILLAGE. SINCE YOU'RE NOT PART OF THE LONGER MOTION I WILL SIMPLY PUT

- 1 YOUR REQUEST ASIDE UNTIL THE TIME THAT WE TAKE UP THAT MOTION, WHICH
- 2  $\,$  WILL BE A SEPARATE MOTION, IF THAT MEETS WITH YOUR APPROVAL.  $\,$  UNLESS OF
- 3 COURSE YOU WANT TO SPEAK ON THE LONGER MOTION, WHICH YOU ARE MORE THAN
- 4 WELCOME TO DO. IS THAT OKAY? SURELY.
- 5 MEMBER PENNINGTON: MR. CHAIRMAN?
- 6 CHAIRMAN EATON: MR. PENNINGTON.
- 7 MEMBER PENNINGTON: FOR THE SAKE TO KEEP THE MOTION ALIVE
- 8 I'LL SECOND IT.
- 9 CHAIRMAN EATON: THANK YOU.
- 10 ALL RIGHTY. I HAVE A NUMBER OF SLIPS, THE FIRST ONE
- 11 IS J. MICHAEL HULS REPRESENTING LAKEWOOD, WEST COVINA AND LAWNDALE.
- 12 MR. HULS: MY NAME IS J. MICHAEL HULS, I'M REPRESENTING
- 13 THOSE PARTICULAR CITIES THAT WERE IDENTIFIED. AND AT THIS POINT I'LL
- 14 HAVE TO TAKE THIS INFORMATION BACK TO THOSE CITIES TO CONSIDER THEIR
- 15 SPECIFIC RESPONSES.
- 16 IF THERE'S ANY QUESTIONS I'LL TRY TO ANSWER THOSE.
- 17 THANK YOU.
- 18 CHAIRMAN EATON: ANY QUESTIONS OF MR. HULS? NO.
- 19 OKAY. MR. PAUL RYAN, PAUL RYAN & ASSOCIATES.
- 20 MR. RYAN: MR. CHAIRMAN AND BOARD MEMBERS, MY NAME IS PAUL
- 21 RYAN. I WOULD LIKE -- I'M REPRESENTING THE CITY OF HIGHLAND AND ALSO
- 22 THE CITY OF HESPERIA.
- 23 IN TERMS OF THE MOTION, THE CITIES COULD LIVE WITH
- 24 THAT MOTION. I WOULD ASK THAT THE BOARD CONSIDER TAKING THE COUNTY
- <del>25 UNINCORPORATED AREA, THE CITY OF HESPERIA AND THE CITY OF H</del>IGHLAND ALL
- 26 AT THE SAME TIME WHEN YOU REVIEW THE BIENNIAL REVIEW, BECAUSE THE

- 1 UNDERLYING REPORT THAT I WORKED WITH NORCAL AND ALSO THE -- YOUR STAFF
- 2 discusses those issues of how to spread and cover the balance on the boe
- 3 NUMBERS.
- 4 MR. JONES AND I KNOW THE HISTORY OF THIS THING, AND IT
- 5 GOES BACK TO SOME THINGS THAT HAPPENED, AND WE'RE JUST NOW CORRECTING AT
- 6 THIS TIME SOME HISTORICAL OMISSIONS. AND I WOULD LIKE TO SEE IT TREATED
- 7 ALL AT THE SAME TIME.
- 8 CHAIRMAN EATON: IS THERE ANY OBJECTION TO --
- 9 MEMBER JONES: THAT DIRECT? I THINK THAT'S EXACTLY WHAT THE
- 10 CHAIRMAN AND I, AND SENATOR ROBERTI WERE TALKING ABOUT EARLIER WHEN WE
- 11 WERE TALKING ABOUT SAN MATEO COUNTY, YOU KNOW, TRYING TO RECONCILE
- 12 ISSUES REGIONALLY WHENEVER POSSIBLE INSTEAD OF -- SO, YEAH, I THINK YOUR
- 13 REQUEST -- I'M ASSUMING, JUDY, THAT --
- MS. FRIEDMAN: ABSOLUTELY.
- 15 MEMBER JONES: ABSOLUTELY.
- 16 CHAIRMAN EATON: THANK YOU.
- 17 SO AND I THINK AS WELL IT GOES FOR THOSE AREAS, ANY OF
- 18 THOSE OTHER AREAS THAT MAY FALL INTO THAT SAME OR SIMILAR KIND OF
- 19 CATEGORY, GEOGRAPHICAL PROXIMITY, THAT HAS THE IMPACT, IF THEY COULD DO
- 20 THOSE AT THE SAME TIME, BOTH FOR EFFICIENCY, AS WELL AS VERIFIABILITY IT
- 21 MIGHT BE A GOOD SITUATION.
- MS. FRIEDMAN: WE WILL DO SO.
- 23 CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY. MR. MIKE MOHAJER, LOS ANGELES COUNTY
- 24 PUBLIC WORKS.
- <del>25 MR. MOHAJER: MR. CHAIR, MEMBER OF THE BOARD, I</del> WAS NOT
- 26 PLANNING TO SPEAK BUT I HAVE BEEN A LITTLE BIT CONFUSED WITH THE MOTION

- 1 AND TRYING TO UNDERSTAND.
- 2 GOING BACK, EVEN THOUGH IT'S GOING TO TAKE A FEW
- 3 MINUTES, I WAS A PART OF THE MEMBER THAT THE WASTE BOARD PUT TOGETHER AS
- 4 A ADJUSTMENT METHODOLOGY GROUP TO COME UP WITH A FORMULA TO CORRECT THE
- 5 BASE NEW NUMBER WHICH RESULTED IN ADOPTING 16, 17 DIFFERENT FORMULA THAT
- 6 THE BOARD APPROVED A COUPLE THREE YEARS AGO FOR JURISDICTIONS TO USE
- 7 THOSE FORMULA.
- 8 AND ALONG WITH THAT, AT LEAST DURING THE PAST NINE
- 9 YEARS I HAVE BEEN INVOLVED VERY EXTENSIVELY WITH THIS BOARD ADDRESSING
- 10 THE DISPOSAL QUANTITY PROBLEM THAT WE HAVE IN L.A. COUNTY OF THE 15.9
- 11 MILLION TONS THAT WE HAVE BEEN DEPORTING SINCE GOING BACK TO 1991.
- 12 AND FINALLY, I REALLY THOUGHT THAT WE CAME UP WITH A
- 13 SOLUTION LAST OCTOBER AND NOVEMBER, TO CHECKING THE NUMBER WITH THE
- 14 BOARD OF EQUALIZATION, AND FINALLY DEVELOPING A FORMULA THAT THE L.A.
- 15 COUNTY JURISDICTION, IF THEY SO CHOOSE, THEY CAN REQUEST THE BOARD FOR
- 16 APPROVAL AND THE TOTAL TONNAGES OF THE DISCREPANCY WAS VERY MUCH DEFINED
- 17 THE FORMULA FOR DISTRIBUTION OF THAT, I THINK IT WAS A 4.4 MILLION TONS
- 18 THAT ULTIMATE SOLUTION WAS, WAS PRETTY MUCH RESOLVED AND THE BOARD
- 19 APPROVED THAT.
- 20 AND I'M GETTING CONFUSED NOW, IS THE SAME REQUIREMENT
- 21 NOW IS APPLICABLE TO ANYBODY THAT HAVE USED -- ANY JURISDICTION THAT
- 22 HAVE USED ANY ADJUSTMENT METHODOLOGY FORMULA THAT THE BOARD HAS APPROVED
- 23 GOING BACK TO THE THREE YEARS GO, THE OLD FORMULA AS WELL? BUT I'M JUST
- 24 -- SO THIS IS BECAUSE THE L.A. COUNTY FIX THAT THE -- I HAVE A
- 25 DIFFICULTY TO UNDERSTAND.
- 26 MEMBER JONES: MR. CHAIRMAN?

- 1 CHAIRMAN EATON: MR. JONES.
- 2 MEMBER JONES: MR. MOHAJER, I THINK ONE OF THE ISSUES THAT
- 3 WE HAVE TO DEAL WITH IS NUMBERS AND HOW TO ASSESS THEM ARE -- YOU KNOW,
- 4 THAT WAS DONE ONCE BY ALL THESE JURISDICTIONS, THE NUMBERS ARE COMING
- 5 BACK FOR AN ADJUSTMENT. I'M NOT SURE THAT I -- I COULDN'T VOTE FOR
- 6 THESE BASED ON THE SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION.
- 7 AND RATHER THAN HAVE EVERYBODY WALK OUT OF HERE
- 8 WITHOUT THAT, YOU KNOW -- BECAUSE A LOT OF THESE WITH THE NUMBER FIX
- 9 GETS JURISDICTIONS TO EXCEED THE 25 IN '95, ADN THEN THE FOLLOWING YEAR
- 10 THEY DROP OFF. AND THAT IS A PROBLEM FOR THE INTEGRITY OF THIS PROGRAM.
- 11 SO I DON'T HAVE ANY PROBLEM -- I MEAN, WE ARE TRYING
- 12 TO WORK WITH FOLKS AND LET THEM KNOW THAT WE'VE GOT TO HAVE LEGITIMACY
- 13 HERE, IRREGARDLESS OF THE L.A. FIX OR WHATEVER. AT THAT TIME THE L.A. -
- 14 I THINK WE HAD SIX BOARD MEMBERS WHEN WE DID THE L.A. FIX, AND IT WAS
- 15 NOT A UNANIMOUS VOTE. DOESN'T MEAN THAT I DON'T WANT TO SEE THE WISHES
- 16 OF THAT BOARD GO FORWARD. THERE ARE NUMBERS HERE THAT DON'T MAKE SENSE
- 17 TO ME.
- AND TO TIE THIS -- TO LET THEM GO FORWARD -- YOU KNOW,
- 19 LET THEM COME FORWARD WITH THESE NUMBERS AND GO THROUGH THE BIENNIAL
- 20 REVIEW. AND IF THE PROGRAMS AND THE BACKGROUND MATERIAL CAN SUPPORT
- 21 BOTH THAT NUMBER AND THE DIVERSION PROGRAMS THEN I DON'T THINK WE HAVE A
- 22 PROBLEM.
- 23 MR. MOHAJER: NO. MR. JONES, I UNDERSTAND THAT. BUT AS YOU
- 24 KNOW -- WELL, BECAUSE I KNOW YOU KNOW BECAUSE WE WORKED TOGETHER -- IT'S
- <del>25 been a long drag for all the jurisdiction in L.A. county tr</del>ying to come
- 26 UP WITH THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN OF 10.3 MILLION TONS, THE SREE'S NUMBERS

- 1 DISPOSAL QUANTITY SHOWS, AND OUR DISPOSAL QUANTITY OF 15.9 MILLION TONS.
- 2 HERE WE ARE -- THE OTHER DIFFICULTY'S THAT I DON'T
- 3 KNOW WHEN THE BIENNIAL REVIEW ARE GOING TO TAKE PLACE FOR 1996 THAT WE
- 4 ARE TALKING ABOUT RIGHT NOW. WE ARE IN MAY OF 1999. AND THE
- 5 JURISDICTIONS, THEY GOT TO PLAN FOR AS WHAT THEY HAVE TO DO BETWEEN NOW
- 6 AND THE NEXT SIX MONTHS, AND THIS IS THE OTHER SIDE OF THE PROBLEM TOO.
- 7 AND I'M JUST TRYING TO ALSO BE FAIR WITH THE -- IF A
- 8 JURISDICTION USES A DIFFERENT METHODOLOGY SO SAME CRITERIA HAS TO BE
- 9 APPLICABLE TO THAT -- TO ALL JURISDICTION THAT THEY USE DIFFERENT
- 10 METHODOLOGIES. AND L.A. COUNTY METHODOLOGY IS ONE OF THE NOW IS ONE
- 11 OF THE 17 METHODS THAT THE BOARD HAS APPROVED. SO SAME CRITERIA OUGHT
- 12 TO BE APPLICABLE TO EVERYBODY.
- 13 CHAIRMAN EATON: MR. MOHAJER, THIS DOES NOTHING TO INTERFERE
- 14 OR SLOW DOWN THE BIENNIAL PROCESS. IN FACT, IT ACTUALLY ALLOWS IT TO GO
- 15 FORWARD SO THERE ISN'T ANY PROBLEMS, SO THAT THEY CAN GO FORWARD WITH
- 16 THOSE NUMBERS.
- 17 ALL WE'RE SAYING IS THAT -- AND JUST BECAUSE YOU USED
- 18 A METHOD -- YOU'RE NOT INSINUATING OR IMPLYING THAT THE BOARD TOOK THE
- 19 ACTION THAT BECAUSE YOU APPROVED A METHOD THAT, THEREFORE, ANYTHING YOU
- 20 SUBMIT ALONG THOSE METHODS ARE ACCEPTABLE? ARE YOU?
- 21 MR. MOHAJER: COULD YOU REPEAT THAT AGAIN?
- 22 CHAIRMAN EATON: ABSOLUTELY, I SURE CAN.
- 23 MR. MOHAJER: I THINK I'M GETTING REALLY TOTALLY CONFUSED
- 24 THIS AFTERNOON. I THOUGHT -- BECAUSE I THOUGHT REALLY THAT WE HAD AT
- 25 LEAST THAT PART OF THE PROBLEM RESOLVED AFTER ALL THESE YEARS.
- 26 CHAIRMAN EATON: I SAID THAT THIS MOTION WILL ALLOW THE

- 1 BIENNIAL REVIEW TO GO FORWARD. AND THAT BECAUSE THERE HAS BEEN AN
- 2 APPROVED METHODOLOGY TO BE USED, A SIMILAR NUMBER OF METHODS THAT YOU
- 3 COULD CHOOSE FROM ONE OF THOSE, THAT JUST BECAUSE A JURISDICTION CHOOSES
- 4 TO USE ONE OF THOSE METHODS THAT IMPLIES THAT THE FIGURES WITHIN THOSE
- 5 METHODS ARE ACCURATE.
- is that...? Just because you use a method doesn't
- 7 MEAN THAT THEY'RE ACCURATE, OR THAT THEY'RE VERIFIABLE, OR THAT THEY'RE
- 8 ACCEPTABLE TO THE BOARD. THE METHOD USED IS AN ACCEPTABLE METHOD.
- 9 MR. MOHAJER: I AGREE WITH YOU 100%, AND I'VE HEEN SAYING
- 10 THAT FROM DAY ONE, GOING BACK NINE YEARS AGO.
- 11 CHAIRMAN EATON: THAT'S -- OKAY. RIGHT. WELL, I WISH I'D
- 12 HAVE BEEN HERE WITH YOU NINE YEARS AGO, BUT I WASN'T, SO.
- 13 BUT THAT'S WHAT THAT'S MEANT TO BE. THESE WILL GO
- 14 FORWARD. THE PURPOSES -- THOSE NUMBERS CAN BE USED DURING THAT REVIEW,
- 15 SO THAT'S NOT GOING TO SLOW THEM DOWN, THE FIGURES THAT WERE PRESENTED,
- 16 WHAT WILL BE DONE --
- 17 MR. MOHAJER: IS THERE A DEADLINE AS TO WHEN THIS BIENNIAL
- 18 REVIEW WOULD COME, AT LEAST FOR THE L.A. COUNTY JURISDICTIONS?
- 19 CHAIRMAN EATON: WELL, THE ONE I KNOW, INTENT, AT LEAST FOR
- 20 THIS INDIVIDUAL BOARD MEMBER, WILL BE TO GET THOSE COMPLETED AS QUICKLY
- 21 AS POSSIBLE IN A FAST TRACK. AND ONE OF THOSE -- SOME OF THOSE ARE
- 22 BASED UPON STATUTE. CORRECT?
- MR. MOHAJER: WELL, I'M TALKING ABOUT BIENNIAL REVIEW FOR
- 24 1996. SEE, WHAT IS HAPPENING NOW IS --
- 25 CHAIRMAN EATON: YOU READY TO GO?
- MR. MOHAJER: PARDON?

- 1 CHAIRMAN EATON: ARE YOU READY TO GO?
- 2 MR. MOHAJER: I HAVE BEEN SUBMITTING OUR REPORTS EVERY YEAR.
- 3 AND YOU ALSO HAVE OUR 1997 REPORT THAT WHICH WAS SUBMITTED A YEAR AGO.
- 4 CHAIRMAN EATON: SO, I THINK THEN YOU'LL PROBABLY BE ONE OF
- 5 THE FIRST IN LINE.
- 6 MR. MOHAJER: I'M NOT TALKING ABOUT JUST MY JUNISDICTION,
- 7 I'M JUST TALKING AS A OVERALL, THAT --
- 8 CHAIRMAN EATON: BUT THOSE JURISDICTIONS HAVEN'T ALL
- 9 SUBMITTED THE DOCUMENTATION FOR BIENNIAL REVIEW. IS THAT GORRECT? ARE
- 10 YOU TELLING ME THAT EVERY JURISDICTION IN L.A. IS READY TO GO?
- 11 MR. MOHAJER: WELL, LET'S ASK YOUR STAFF IF THEY HAVE
- 12 SUBMITTED BIENNIAL. HAVE ALL THE JURISDICTIONS IN LOS ANGELES COUNTY
- 13 HAVE SUBMITTED THEIR 1995 REPORT AND '96 REPORT?
- 14 MR. SCHIAVO: YES. THE PROGRAM DATA FOR THE MOST PART'S
- 15 BEEN REVIEWED. BUT THE ISSUE'S BEEN THE OUTSTANDING NUMBERS ISSUE.
- 16 MR. MOHAJER: FOR THE BASE-YEAR, SO THAT'S -- THAT'S STILL -
- 17 -
- 18 CHAIRMAN EATON: AND THAT WILL BE ALLOWED TO GO FORWARD NOW,
- 19 AS A RESULT OF THIS MOTION, SO YOU'RE IN THE HOPPER AND READY TO GO.
- 20 MR. MOHAJER: AND WHEN WOULD BE THE DATE THAT THE BIENNIAL
- 21 REVIEW WOULD BE COMPLETED? BECAUSE HERE WE'RE TALKING ABOUT THE JANUARY
- 22 1ST -- SEE, REALLY, IT IS A CONCERN, BECAUSE THE REASON I'M RAISING
- 23 THIS, BECAUSE I ALSO WORK WITH THE LOCAL TASK FORCE WHICH IS FORMED
- 24 UNDER AB 939. AND THAT IS ONE OF THE CONCERN THAT, HEY, WE NEED TO MOVE
- <del>25 forward, we still don't know where we are for 1995, and hed</del>e we are the
- 26 YEAR 2000.

- 1 BUT THIS DECISION IS YOURS, SO I'M NOT GOING TO BE
- 2 ARGUING BECAUSE --
- 3 CHAIRMAN EATON: WELL, IT'S NOT ARGUING. I MEAN, WE'RE AS
- 4 ANXIOUS AS YOU ARE TO GET IT DONE, BECAUSE THE CARDS'LL BE ON THE TABLE
- 5 AND WE'LL SEE WHERE WE ARE.
- 6 MR. MOHAJER: COULD WE HAVE SOME KIND OF DATE FOR THE END OF
- 7 THE DAY --
- 8 CHAIRMAN EATON: WELL, I MEAN, I'D BE HAPPY TO GIVE YOU A
- 9 DATE, BUT I'D ALSO --
- 10 MR. MOHAJER: I'M NOT TALKING ABOUT JUST MINE, I'M JUST
- 11 TALKING AS A OVERALL, AS PAT MENTIONED, THE JURISDICTION HAVE SUBMITTED
- 12 THEIR DOCUMENT. AND I'M NOT GOING TO BE ARGUING. SO, THANKS FOR YOUR
- 13 TIME.
- 14 CHAIRMAN EATON: SURE.
- 15 MS. ALLISON BARLEIGH FOR TEMPLE CITY AND THE CITY OF
- 16 SAN FERNANDO.
- 17 MS. BARLEIGH: THANK YOU, MR. CHAIRMAN. AND ACTUALLY,
- 18 BARLEIGH --
- 19 CHAIRMAN EATON: OH, I'M SORRY.
- 20 MS. BARLEIGH: -- BUT EVERYBODY MAKES THAT ERROR.
- 21 I ACTUALLY HAVE MORE OF A QUESTION, WHICH IS ALSO A
- 22 COMMENT. I WAS WONDERING WHAT STANDARDS WOULD BE USED TO DETERMINE THE
- 23 ACCURACY FOR THE CORRECTED BASE-YEAR NUMBERS?
- 24 AND IT'S REALLY ALSO A COMMENT, BECAUSE MANY OF US ARE
- <del>25 HERE TODAY BECAUSE THE BASE-YEAR NUMBERS WERE INACCURATE, B</del>UT THEY WERE
- 26 BASED ON THE BEST AVAILABLE INFORMATION AT THE TIME, AND BECAUSE WE

- 1 CANNOT GO BACK IN TIME AND GET ANY FURTHER INFORMATION WE'RE RESTRICTED
- 2  $\,$  to working with those numbers that we have. And that's why we are at
- 3 LEAST HERE TODAY TO -- WE'RE HERE TO GET THE ALLOCATION OF THE
- 4 UNALLOCATED WASTE IN LOS ANGELES COUNTY, AMONGST THE CITIES.
- 5 SO, AGAIN, I WAS WONDERING WHAT STANDARDS OF ACCURACY
- 6 WOULD BE USED AND WHAT INFORMATION WE WOULD HAVE TO PROVIDE.
- 7 MEMBER JONES: WHAT CITY ARE YOU FROM?
- 8 MS. BARLEIGH: I'M REPRESENTING BOTH TEMPLE CITY AND SAN
- 9 FERNANDO TODAY.
- 10 MEMBER JONES: I THINK THAT WHAT -- ON THE ACCURACY
- 11 STANDPOINT -- OKAY? -- IF WE WERE TO ADOPT THESE NUMBERS RIGHT NOW,
- 12 TODAY, THEN YOUR TEMPLE CITY WOULD BE AT 20% FOR '95, 15% FOR '96
- 13 THROUGH THE BIENNIAL REVIEW, JUST THE QUICK NUMBERS THAT WE HAVE.
- YOUR OTHER CITY WAS --
- 15 MS. BARLEIGH: I'M SORRY, WAS THAT 20% AND 15%?
- 16 MEMBER JONES: YEAH, DOWN, THAT'S WHAT IT KIND OF LOOKS
- 17 LIKE.
- MS. BARLEIGH: YEAH.
- 19 MEMBER JONES: YOU GO DOWN.
- 20 ON YOUR OTHER CITY IT GOES FROM 45 TO 54.
- MS. BARLEIGH: YES.
- 22 MEMBER JONES: DO THE PROGRAMS IN YOUR CITIES WARRANT THAT
- 23 KIND OF DIVERSION?
- 24 MS. BARLEIGH: I BELIEVE SO. AND SAN FERNANDO IS KIND OF AN
- <del>25 INTERESTING SITUATION IN THAT -- AND YOU PROBABLY DON'T HAV</del>E THIS NUMBER
- 26 AVAILABLE, BUT IN '96 -- EXCUSE ME, FROM THE 54% IN 1996, WITH THE

- 1 CORRECTION, IT DROPS BACK TO, IN '97 TO 45%. AND WE BELIEVE THAT THAT
- 2 IS NOT DUE TO ANY CHANGES IN DELETING PROGRAM, DIVERSION PROGRAMS, AND
- 3 IT'S NOT DUE TO A SIGNIFICANT INCREASE IN ACTIVITY IN THE GITY, BUT MORE
- 4 SO A FUNCTION OF THE DISPOSAL REPORTING SYSTEM. SO THAT'S ANOTHER
- 5 ACCURACY ISSUE, ASIDE FROM THE BASE-YEAR ISSUE.
- 6 MEMBER JONES: SAN FERNANDO, BY MY MATH -- AND WHAT'S THE
- 7 MIX IN SAN FERNANDO AS FAR AS RESIDENTIAL AND COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL?
- 8 WELL, JUST REAL QUICK, BECAUSE WE'RE --
- 9 MS. BARLEIGH: IN TERMS OF -- I ACTUALLY --
- 10 MEMBER JONES: JUST PERCENTAGE.
- 11 MS. BARLEIGH: -- I LEFT MY BRIEF CASE --
- 12 MEMBER JONES: NEVER MIND, IT DOESN'T MATTER. BUT THAT CITY
- 13 IS AT 12 POUNDS PER PERSON PER DAY.
- 14 CHAIRMAN EATON: I'D SAY IT'S PROBABLY ABOUT 65 TO 70%
- 15 COMMERCIAL OR INDUSTRIAL. I DON'T KNOW ABOUT THE CITY BORDER THOUGH.
- 16 IT'S QUITE --
- 17 MEMBER ROBERTI: (INAUDIBLE; OFF-MIKE.)
- 18 MS. BARLEIGH: THAT IS AN ISSUE, THE CITY BOARD --
- 19 MEMBER ROBERTI: (INAUDIBLE; OFF-MIKE.)
- 20 CHAIRMAN EATON: YOU'RE RIGHT, BECAUSE IT'S THE OTHER PART
- 21 THAT BECOMES PART OF THE CITY OF L.A. THAT CURVES AROUND THERE AND STUFF
- 22 LIKE THAT. WE ALL KNOW IT SO --
- MS. BARLEIGH: YEAH, IT'S -- AND THAT'S PROBABLY PART OF THE
- 24 DISPOSAL REPORTING ISSUE BECAUSE --
- <del>25 CHAIRMAN EATON: YEAH, I THINK WITH THE NUMBERS</del> AS IT
- 26 RELATES TO SAN FERNANDO, THAT AT LEAST FROM WHAT YOU'RE SEEING HERE,

- 1 IT'S NOT THE SITUATION WHERE YOUR OTHER CITY -- WHERE IT DROPS DOWN IN
- 2 TERMS OF -- INTO A NEGATIVE UNDERNEATH, THIS IS JUST KIND  ${
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- 3 ADJUSTMENT. SO I THINK YOU GET THERE, AND I DON'T THINK IT HAS ANY REAL
- 4 ADVERSE IMPLICATIONS FOR THE CITY OF SAN FERNANDO, AT LEAST UNDER THIS
- 5 FORMULA HERE.
- 6 IT'S KIND OF LIKE, ONE, YOU'RE PART OF THE PROBLEM
- 7 WITH ONE CLIENT THAT YOU REPRESENT, AND THE OTHER ONE YOU'RE ACTUALLY IN
- 8 PRETTY GOOD SHAPE IN TERMS OF THE OVERALL THRUST OF THE MOTION, WHICH IS
- 9 BASICALLY TO TRY AND RECONCILE SOME OF THE OTHER THINGS, WHERE WE DON'T
- 10 HAVE INFORMATION WE CAN LOOK TO OTHER THINGS AND THEN JUST GO AHEAD AND
- 11 HAVE A BASIS BY WHICH WE CAN APPROVE THOSE. AND THAT WOULD BE YOUR --
- 12 THINGS THAT WERE MENTIONED IN THE MOTION THAT MR. JONES HAD MENTIONED.
- 13 MEMBER JONES: I ALSO THINK THAT ONE OF THE --
- 14 MS. BARLEIGH: SO POUNDS? POUNDS? WE'RE LOOKING JUST AT
- 15 THE GENERATED --
- 16 MEMBER JONES: NO, THAT'S JUST AN INDICATOR. 1T WAS JUST AN
- 17 INDICATOR. BECAUSE WHEN I LOOK AT THESE -- WHEN I LOOK AT THESE THINGS
- 18 OUT OF OUR SYSTEM, IT IDENTIFIES EVERYTHING THAT YOUR CITY SAID IT WAS
- 19 GOING TO DO TO MEET AB 939. BUT A LOT OF THE PROGRAMS HAVE NEVER BEEN -
- 20 I MEAN, I'M NOT SAYING YOUR CITY, I -- BECAUSE I HAVEN'T LOOKED AT
- 21 YOUR CITY. OKAY?
- MS. BARLEIGH: RIGHT.
- 23 MEMBER JONES: SO I'M TALKING GENERICALLY. WHEN WE LOOK AT
- 24 THESE THINGS IT'S ALL THESE PLANS, AND YET PROGRAMS EITHER HAVEN'T BEEN
- <del>25 done, or they haven't been utilized, or they have been dond</del> in a
- 26 WHISPERING-TYPE MODE WHERE YOU HIT, YOU KNOW, A COUPLE OF AREAS BUT NOT

- 1 OTHER AREAS FOR WHATEVER REASON.
- 2 AND I THINK WE JUST NEED TO GET A HANDLE ON -- TO
- 3 CHANGE THE NUMBER. OKAY? THERE'S A COUPLE OF JURISDICTION'S HERE THAT
- 4 I'VE ACTUALLY BEEN INVITED TO GO LOOK AT. THEY HAVE ASTRONOMICALLY HIGH
- 5 DIVERSION NUMBERS, BASED ON THIS CHANGE, AND THEY HAVE NO BROGRAMS.
- 6 THAT'S NOT GENERIC, THAT'S ACCURATE. THEY HAVE ZIPITY-DOO-DAH (PHON)
- 7 PROGRAMS. BUT, THEY ARE AT A LEVEL HIGH ENOUGH THAT THEY WOULD HAVE
- 8 COMPLIED WITH THE LAW UNDER AB 939.
- 9 PART OF OUR JOB IS NOT TO DETERMINE THAT BIENNIAL
- 10 REVIEW ACCURACY UNLESS WE ARE SURE THE NUMBERS ARE ACCURATE, OR AS
- 11 ACCURATE AS CAN BE. LIKE THE SENATOR SAID, IT'S NOT A SCIENCE THAT
- 12 WE'RE GOING TO KNOW EXACTLY HOW MUCH TONNAGE -- YOU KNOW, IT'S GOING TO
- 13 BE CLOSE. BUT IF YOUR PROGRAMS -- IF THERE AREN'T PROGRAMS TO SUPPORT
- 14 30, 40, 50% DIVERSION -- IT DIDN'T ALL COME FROM AN EDUCATION PROGRAM OF
- 15 FOURTH GRADERS. IT JUST DIDN'T. SO WE HAVE TO LOOK AT THAT, AND AT
- 16 WHICH TIME WE CAN DETERMINE IF, IN FACT, THAT JURISDICTION HAS COMPLIED
- 17 WITH THE LAW.
- 18 BUT TO BLANKET GIVE THIS ALLOCATION OF WASTE OUT AND
- 19 GET SOMEBODY UP TO 45% IN THE YEAR 1995, THEY'RE SCOTT-FREE UNTIL THE
- 20 YEAR 2000. THAT DOESN'T MAKE ANY SENSE TO ME, IRREGARDLESS OF WHAT THE
- 21 BOARD DID TO COME UP WITH A FORMULA, THAT'S NOT THE INTENT OF THE LAW.
- 22 CHAIRMAN EATON: I THINK ALSO THAT ONE OF THE WAYS THIS
- 23 MOTION HELPS IS TO BE ABLE TO GET SOME MORE FACTORS IN SO  $1\!\!1$ F THERE IS
- 24 ANY DOUBT, OR THERE IS ANY INABILITY TO GO FURTHER IN TERMS OF THE
- 25 NUMBERS THAT YOU TALKED ABOUT IN ONE OF YOUR JURISDICTIONS, IT GIVES YOU
- 26 SOME ADDITIONAL AMMUNITION BY WHICH TO SAY, OKAY, WE MAY NOT BE ABLE TO

- 1 GO THERE BUT HERE'S SOME OF THE OTHER THINGS WE HAVE, SO THE BOARD IS
- 2 THEN IN A POSITION TO -- OKAY, WE CAN'T GET, YOU KNOW, BLOOD OUT OF A
- 3 STONE BECAUSE THEY MAY OR MAY NOT EXIST, BUT WE DO HAVE THESE OTHER
- 4 THINGS WHICH ARE PRESENT, AND IT JUST ADDS TO BUTTRESS YOUR SUPPORT FOR
- 5 YOUR POSITION. IT'S NOT MEANT TO BE -- TO DE-STABILIZE, BUT TO, RATHER,
- 6 STABILIZE THE INFORMATION BY WHICH WAS ALREADY PROVIDED.
- 7 MS. BARLEIGH: OKAY. SO WILL STAFF PROVIDE US WITH AN
- 8 INFORMATION REQUEST FOR WHATEVER ADDITIONAL INFORMATION IS REQUIRED?
- 9 CHAIRMAN EATON: WELL, I THINK IN THE MOTION IT WILL GO AS
- 10 THAT THE INFORMATION RECORD SUPPORTING OR JUSTIFYING THOSE CHANGES, AND
- 11 THEY WILL ASK FOR ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR INFORMATION THAT THEY
- 12 FEEL IS GOING TO BE NECESSARY TO HELP THEM COMPORT WITH THE BIENNIAL
- 13 REVIEW PROCESS AS WELL.
- MS. BARLEIGH: OKAY. THANK YOU.
- 15 CHAIRMAN EATON: WE AIN'T GOING TO LEAVE YOU HANGING OUT
- 16 THERE. I MEAN, I KNOW THAT THOSE AREN'T GOING TO BE HALLOWED WORDS BUT
- 17 I THINK -- YOU KNOW, I THINK THAT THERE WILL BE SOME THINGS THAT WE WILL
- 18 WORK THROUGH AND -- TO GET YOU WHAT YOU NEED.
- MS. BARLEIGH: OKAY. THANK YOU.
- 20 CHAIRMAN EATON: MR. CUPPS, JOHN CUPPS.
- 21 MR. CUPPS: MR. CHAIRMAN, FOR THE RECORD MY NAME IS JOHN
- 22 CUPPS, I'M AN INDEPENDENT CONSULTANT. I'M NOT HERE REPRESENTING ANY
- 23 PARTICULAR CLIENT TODAY, I JUST HAVE A QUESTION THAT I'D L $\mathbf{I}$ KE TO TRY TO
- 24 GET CLARIFIED.
- 25 IS IT THE BOARD OR THE CHAIRMAN'S INTENT I -- OR,
- 26 PERHAPS I SHOULD ASK THE MAKER OF THE MOTION, IS IT YOUR INTENT, MR.

- 1 JONES, THAT THIS IN EFFECT BECOMES A GENERIC POLICY THAT WILL BE APPLIED
- 2 HENCEFORTH TO OTHER JURISDICTIONS?
- 3 MEMBER JONES: ABSOLUTELY.
- 4 CHAIRMAN EATON: WE'RE IN A SITUATION, MR. CUPES, WHERE THE
- 5 INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE GOING TO BE COMING BEFORE THIS BOARD RIGHT NOW,
- 6 NUMBERS IN SOME CASES, AND THE ONES THAT ARE WAITING IN THE WINGS, ARE
- 7 SO -- CAN'T BE DISCERNED WITH ANY KIND OF CERTAINTY AT ALL. THAT IS NOT
- 8 THE BOARD'S DETERMINATION, THAT IS EVEN THE JURISDICTION'S
- 9 DETERMINATION. SO WE ARE GOING TO BE IN THE SITUATION OF WHAT DO WE DO
- 10 WITH THOSE JURISDICTIONS HENCEFORTH.
- 11 I THINK THIS POLICY WILL BENEFIT THOSE JURISDICTIONS
- 12 WHO DON'T HAVE THE ABILITY, OR CANNOT -- NUMBERS ARE SO CONFUSED, TO
- 13 PROVIDE THEM WITH AN AVENUE BY WHICH THEY CAN BE SUCCESSFUL IN MEETING
- 14 THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE LAW.
- 15 MR. CUPPS: WELL, I UNDERSTAND ALL THAT. I JUST REALLY AM
- 16 TRYING TO UNDERSTAND WHETHER OR NOT THIS IS IN FACT A GENERIC POLICY
- 17 THAT IS BEING -- IS GOING TO BE APPLIED PROSPECTIVELY TO ALL
- 18 JURISDICTIONS COMING FORWARD. THAT'S, YOU KNOW --
- 19 CHAIRMAN EATON: ARE YOU ASKING ME IS THIS GOING TO APPLY TO
- 20 THE ONES WHO CAME HERE TODAY, OR WILL IT BE FOR THE ONES IN THE FUTURE
- 21 AS WELL?
- MR. CUPPS: CORRECT.
- 23 CHAIRMAN EATON: IT WILL BE FOR THE ONES WHO COME IN BECAUSE
- 24 THEY'RE EVEN IN WORSE SHAPE THAN THE ONES THAT WERE HERE.
- 25 MR. CUPPS: OKAY, THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
- 26 MEMBER JONES: WHY CHANGE A GOOD MOTION, MR. CUPPS? YOU

- 1 KNOW? WHY CHANGE A GOOD MOTION.
- 2 CHAIRMAN EATON: I DIDN'T MISS -- YOURS WAS PURELY AN
- 3 INQUIRY, NOT A SUPPORT OR AN OPPOSITION POSITION I THINK, HIGHT?
- 4 MR. CUPPS: ABSOLUTELY.
- 5 CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY. KATIE WILSON FROM THE GITY OF
- 6 CERRITOS.
- 7 MR. CAMBRIDGE: SHE HAD TO LEAVE --
- 8 CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY. TINA LACKEY, CITY OF MONTEREY PARK.
- 9 MS. LACKEY: GOOD AFTERNOON. I WAS JUST CURIOUS FOR OUR
- 10 BIENNIAL REVIEW WHAT JURISDICTIONS ARE GOING TO BE REQUIRED TO PROVIDE -
- 11 I WAS JUST WONDERING, IS OUR ANNUAL REPORTS FOR 1995 AND 1996 THAT WE
- 12 SUBMITTED, IS THAT GOING TO BE ENOUGH DOCUMENTATION, OR ARE YOU GOING TO
- 13 BE REQUIRING ADDITIONAL ITEMS FROM JURISDICTIONS?
- 14 AND THEN IF YOU DO, HOW ARE YOU GOING TO NOTIFY
- 15 JURISDICTIONS, AND WHEN -- HOW FAR IN ADVANCE ARE THEY GOING TO BE
- 16 NOTIFIED BEFORE THEIR ITEMS IS GOING TO BE BROUGHT BEFORE THE BOARD?
- 17 CHAIRMAN EATON: SEVERAL QUESTIONS THERE. PERHAPS STAFF CAN
- 18 GO OVER THE BIENNIAL REVIEW PROCESS, AND THEN FROM THERE WE CAN START TO
- 19 SEGREGATE EACH AND EVERY ONE OF YOUR QUESTIONS.
- 20 MEMBER JONES: MR. CHAIRMAN?
- 21 CHAIRMAN EATON: UM-HUM?
- 22 MEMBER JONES: BEFORE MR. SCHIAVO STARTS. SOME OF OUR
- 23 MOTION, SOME OF MY MOTION, GIVES STAFF DIRECTION THAT WE HAVEN'T REALLY
- 24 SET OUT TO THEM YET, WE HAVEN'T TOLD THEM EXACTLY WHAT IS GOING TO BE
- 25 REQUIRED. I THINK THAT THAT IS GOING TO HAVE A LOT TO DO WITH THE
- 26 CHAIRMAN, THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, AND INPUT FROM BOARD MEMBERS.

- 1 SO IN FAIRNESS TO STAFF -- I'M NOT TRYING -- YOU KNOW,
- 2 YOU WERE HERE ALL DAY, YOU SAW WHAT WE WERE STRUGGLING WITH. YOU SAY
- 3 THAT -- A GOOD LIKELIHOOD THAT THIS -- THAT THERE WERE GOING TO BE SOME
- 4 VOTES, AND YOU NEED FOUR HERE, IT'S NOT A MAJORITY, YOU'VE GOT TO HAVE
- 5 FOUR.
- 6 MS. LACKEY: I SEE.
- 7 MEMBER JONES: SO WE'RE TRYING TO WORK THROUGH THIS THING SO
- 8 THAT EVERYBODY CAN -- THERE HAS GOT TO BE -- WE'RE GOING TO LOOK AT WHAT
- 9 IT IS, WHAT THE INFORMATION IS THAT COMES IN -- OKAY? -- AND WHAT WE'RE
- 10 GOING TO NEED TO BE ABLE TO MAKE A DETERMINATION OF ACCURATE DATA.
- 11 SOME OF IT IS -- SOME OF THESE ITEMS, UNFORTUNATELY
- 12 FOR STAFF, WHEN IT COMES AROUND TO BOARD MEMBERS WE HAVE A GUT FEELING
- 13 AND WE'LL GO OUT AND CALL PEOPLE, OR WE'LL GO OUT OURSELVES AND LOOK TO
- 14 SEE IF PROGRAMS ARE REALLY IN PLACE. THEY'LL GO OUT AND LOOK AND SEE IF
- 15 PROGRAMS ARE IN PLACE.
- 16 I DON'T KNOW YET HOW ALL THAT'S GOING TO WORK OUT.
- 17 BUT IT'S GOING TO BE MORE THAN A CURSORY REVIEW. OKAY? IT HAS TO BE.
- 18 BECAUSE YOU'VE SPENT MONEY IN YOUR JURISDICTION YOU DON'T WANT YOUR
- 19 EFFORTS NOT TO BE RECOGNIZED, WHEN SOMEBODY THAT HASN'T PUT IN THE
- 20 EFFORT IS RECOGNIZED, DO YOU?
- MS. LACKEY: EXACTLY.
- MEMBER JONES: OKAY.
- 23 MS. LACKEY: I'D ALSO LIKE TO RECOMMEND TO JUST INCREASE
- 24 COMMUNICATION, BECAUSE A LOT OF TIMES THERE'S A LOT OF LAST-MINUTE, OOP,
- <del>25 Your item's up on the -- i would really strongly encourage </del>maybe in
- 26 WRITING NOTIFICATION TO THE JURISDICTIONS PRIOR TO THEIR ITEM BEING

- 1 HEARD BEFORE THE BOARD SO A JURISDICTION CAN PREPARE ITSELE, PREPARE
- 2 DOCUMENTATION OF THEIR PROGRAMS, TO COME AND TALK TO THE BOARD AND SHARE
- 3 WITH THEM THE PROGRAMS THAT THEY'VE BEEN IMPLEMENTING.
- 4 MEMBER JONES: JUST SO YOU KNOW, I THINK THAT \$15, 99% OF THE
- 5 -- 95%, MAYBE 85, OF ALL THE JURISDICTIONS IN THE STATE REALLY DEAL WITH
- 6 US SO SQUARE IT'S NOT -- I MEAN, JUST REALLY DEAL WITH US UP-FRONT.
- 7 OTHERS I THINK JUST DON'T GET IT. AND OTHERS I THINK DON'T WANT TO
- 8 SPEND THE MONEY TO PUT THE PROGRAMS IN.
- 9 I'M NOT LUMPING -- WE'RE NOT LUMPING EVERYBODY
- 10 TOGETHER, BUT IT -- THERE ARE INDICATORS THAT YOU USE. YOU KNOW? AND
- 11 BASED ON THE AMOUNT OF INFORMATION WHICH WE HAD, WHICH WAS NOT PROBABLY
- 12 THE -- YOU KNOW, THEY'VE GOT TO TAKE IT IN A FORMAT THAT THEY THINK
- 13 MAKES SENSE FOR US. AND, YOU KNOW, I DO SOME QUICK MATH AND HAVE A
- 14 LITTLE EXPERIENCE IN THIS STUFF AND I HAVE PROBLEMS WITH PARTS OF IT.
- 15 SO, WE'RE NOT QUESTIONING THE INTEGRITY OF THE
- 16 NUMBERS, WE WANT TO PRESERVE THE INTEGRITY OF THE LAW.
- MS. LACKEY: OKAY.
- 18 MEMBER JONES: OKAY?
- 19 CHAIRMAN EATON: ON THE OTHER HAND, JUST TO ASSURE YOU, THE
- 20 GENTLEMEN TO MY RIGHT, TO YOUR LEFT, TO MY LEFT AND TO THE FURTHER LEFT
- 21 AS WELL, INCLUDING MYSELF, ALL HAVE BACKGROUND AND TRAINING AND NOTICE
- 22 (PHON), NOT JUST BAGLEY-KEENE (PHON). BUT IF YOU'D BEEN AT ANY OF THE
- 23 PREVIOUS BOARD MEETINGS, WHICH PROBABLY DIDN'T HAPPEN (PHON) (HAVE IT?)
- 24 YOU'D SEE THAT EACH OF THIS GENTLEMEN -- WE'RE VERY BIG STICKLERS ON
- 25 NOTICE, AND THAT PEOPLE WHO DIDN'T HAVE PROPER NOTICE WERE GIVEN A LOT
- 26 MORE LEEWAY ON THAT. SO I DON'T SEE YOU'RE GOING TO HAVE ANY PROBLEM

- 1 WITH THIS.
- 2 I DO, HOWEVER -- DO NOT SUBSCRIBE TO THE FACT THAT A
- 3 BASE-YEAR ADJUSTMENT PROBLEM HAS JUST ALL OF A SUDDEN DESCENDED UPON ON
- 4 MAY 6TH.
- 5 MS. LACKEY: I UNDERSTAND.
- 6 CHAIRMAN EATON: I DO NOT SUBSCRIBE TO THAT THEORY. AND,
- 7 THEREFORE, I DO BELIEVE THAT THERE IS AN INTEREST -- AND I UNDERSTAND, I
- 8 MEAN, YOU KNOW, NONE OF US DO ANYTHING UNLESS WE HAVE TO IN CERTAIN
- 9 SITUATIONS. AND IN SOME CASES WE'RE REALLY TRYING TO GET THIS INTO A
- 10 POSITION SO THAT WHEN WE HIT THE YEAR 2000 AND THE SPOTLIGHT COMES DOWN
- 11 ON 2001, WE'RE ALL PRETTY MUCH ON THE SAME PAGE. AND WE'RE JUST NOT ON
- 12 THE SAME PAGE. NOT BOARD MEMBERS, BUT WE'RE JUST NOT ON THE SAME PAGE
- 13 WITH THE JURISDICTIONS, QUITE FRANKLY.
- 14 YOU KNOW, ALL OF YOU SPEAK PUBLICLY, BUT ALL OF YOU
- 15 ALSO SPEAK PRIVATELY TO US, AND SO WE KNOW A LITTLE BIT MORE THAN PEOPLE
- 16 GIVE US CREDIT FOR, AND WE KNOW A LITTLE BIT LESS THAN PEOFLE MAY NOT
- 17 GIVE US ANY CREDIT FOR. SO, FROM THAT PERSPECTIVE, WE'RE JUST TRYING TO
- 18 MOVE IT ALONG AND GO THROUGH.
- 19 THE MAIN THING HERE IS TO BE ABLE TO HAVE SOMETHING BY
- 20 WHICH WE CAN ALL BE PROUD OF, AND I THINK WE ARE GETTING THERE IN THOSE
- 21 SITUATIONS. YOU KNOW, THE BOARD DOESN'T NEED YOUR MONEY FOR FINDS OR
- 22 ANY OF THOSE KINDS OF THINGS. WHAT WE DO NEED, HOWEVER, IS THE ABILITY
- 23 TO KIND OF PUT SOME OF THE STUFF TOGETHER.
- 24 I THINK IF YOU LOOK AT THE WAY THE BOARD HAS ACTED
- 25 OVER THE LAST COUPLE OF YEARS AS SOME OF THIS STUFF HAS FINALLY STARTED
- 26 TO COME TO THE TOP, THERE'S PROBLEMS. I MEAN, IT'S JUST LIKE ANYTHING

- 1 ELSE. YOU KNOW, IN SOME WAYS WE ARE ANTICIPATING MORE OF A PROBLEM,
- 2  $\,$  Maybe it really does exist, but we want to be prepared in That sense.
- 3 I THINK IF YOU LOOK AT EACH ONE OF OUR COMMODITIES
- 4 THAT WE DEAL WITH, TIRES RECENTLY IS A GOOD EXAMPLE WHERE WE'RE GOING TO
- 5 TRY AND TAKE A DIFFERENT APPROACH AND GET A LITTLE MORE AGGRESSIVE, GET
- 6 PEOPLE NOW RATHER THAN WAITING LATER.
- 7 I MEAN, THE ONE THING THAT WE HAVE PICKED UP AND IT'S
- 8 THROUGHOUT, IS THAT THE ECONOMIC TREND OF THE LAST FEW YEARS HAS BEEN
- 9 LOW, AND IT'S STARTING TO PICK UP. AND SO THAT THE BASIC ASSUMPTION IS,
- 10 IS BECAUSE THE ECONOMIC ACTIVITY'S BEEN LOW, THEN WHEN IT FICKS UP WHAT
- 11 WE'VE SEEN IS THESE SPIKES. WE DON'T WANT YOU TO BE IN A HOSITION TO
- 12 COME BACK TO US AND SAY, YOU KNOW, WE REALLY DIDN'T EVEN KNOW IT WAS
- 13 GOING TO GO THAT WAY AND YOU HAD THESE NUMBERS.
- 14 I THINK IT'S A WAY THAT WE CAN SAY WE'VE ANTICIPATED
- 15 THESE KINDS OF THINGS, AND WE CAN PRESENT IT TO THE PUBLIC THAT THEIR
- 16 TAX DOLLARS THAT THEY'RE PAYING FOR, AND SOME OF THE PROGRAMS THAT
- 17 THEY'RE PAYING FOR ARE GOING AND THEY'RE JUST NOT A NUMBERS GAME.
- 18 BECAUSE, AT LEAST FROM THIS BOARD MEMBER'S PERSPECTIVE, I DON'T WANT IT
- 19 TO BE A NUMBERS GAME, I WANT IT TO BE SOMETHING THAT WE CAN DO AND
- 20 UTILIZE -- WHATEVER WE GENERATE WE USE TO THE GREATEST EXTENT POSSIBLE.
- 21 IT'LL NEVER BE 100%, BUT WE'RE GOING TO KEEP MOVING IN THAT DIRECTION.
- 22 AND ALSO, WHAT ABOUT THOSE JURISDICTIONS THAT HAVE
- 23 DONE THE WORK? YOU KNOW, IF WE ALL OF A SUDDEN DO SOMETHING TO THE
- 24 NUMBERS THEN THEY HAVE A DIS-INCENTIVE AS WELL. YOU KNOW? AND WE'VE
- 25 ALSO TRIED TO DO IT....
- 26 BUT WE HAVE A TREMENDOUS WEB PAGE AND WE HAVE

- 1 TREMENDOUS NOTICING REQUIREMENTS THAT WE CAN -- CAN DO. AND YOU SHOULD
- 2 FEEL FREE -- I MEAN, THE CITIES YOU REPRESENT -- I'M NOT SURE, BUT -- I
- 3 MAY BE MISTAKEN, BUT I THINK WEREN'T -- DIDN'T YOU ATTEND OUR WORKSHOP
- 4 DOWN IN DIAMOND BAR, OR SOMEONE FROM YOUR CITY?
- 5 MS. LACKEY: YES, I DID.
- 6 CHAIRMAN EATON: YES. AND YOU WERE ONE OF THE FEW
- 7 INDIVIDUALS TO DO THAT, AND I'VE COMMENTED ON THAT ON SEVERAL TIMES.
- 8 SEE, I DO HAVE A MEMORY ONCE IN A WHILE. AND WE WERE IN THAT BIG BOARD
- 9 ROOM -- AND MR. PENNINGTON CAN REMEMBER, AND YOU LOOKED OVER AT ME AND
- 10 THERE WAS A BIG ROOM, WE THOUGHT WE WERE ECHOING AND WE WERE IN A CANYON
- 11 OR WHATEVER, AND WE DID GO OUT AND DO THAT. UNLIKE SOME OF YOUR FELLOW
- 12 JURISDICTIONS, THEY WERE NOT PRESENT. AND THAT WAS A 1066 PROGRAM THAT
- 13 WE SPOKE ABOUT.
- 14 AND, SO I THINK THOSE ARE THE KINDS OF THINGS THAT
- 15 WE'RE TRYING TO GET OUT TO DO. WE'RE GOING TO TRY AND DO MORE OF IT AS
- 16 WELL. OKAY?
- 17 MS. LACKEY: THANK YOU.
- 18 CHAIRMAN EATON: I DON'T HAVE ANY MORE SLIPS. SO THAT MUST
- 19 MEAN THAT WE -- THE TIME HAS COME TO TAKE UP THE MOTION. WE DO,
- 20 HOWEVER, HAVE I THINK SOME FINAL LANGUAGE THAT SENATOR ROBERTI HAD
- 21 SPOKEN ABOUT, AND I THINK HAS BEEN FINALLY DRAFTED. AND IF YOU WANT,
- 22 PERHAPS MAKE THE -- WE CAN HAVE THE MOTION MADE.
- MR. CUPPS.
- 24 MR. CUPPS: MR. CHAIRMAN, COULD YOU PERHAPS GO THROUGH THE
- 25 LANGUAGE CHANGES YOU MADE
- 26 CHAIRMAN EATON: SURE, THAT'S WHAT I'M JUST ABOUT READY TO

- 1 DO --
- 2 MR. CUPPS: THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
- 3 CHAIRMAN EATON: I PROMISE I WON'T SLIP IN THE CUPPS
- 4 EXCEPTION OR THE CUPPS PUNISHMENT, YOU KNOW.
- 5 OKAY. SO, MR. BLOCK, WOULD YOU JUST PROVIDE THE
- 6 CHANGE, WHICH WILL BE IN THE SECOND-TO-LAST PARAGRAPH THAT BEGINS "AT
- 7 THE TIME OF THESE BIENNIAL REVIEWS," AND IT WILL GO IN THE SECOND
- 8 SENTENCE, AND IT WILL READ AS FOLLOWS.
- 9 MR. BLOCK: SECOND-TO-THE-LAST BULLET, THE SECOND SENTENCE
- 10 WOULD BE CHANGED TO READ: "IF BASED ON THE INFORMATION PROVIDED THE
- 11 BOARD BELIEVES THAT THE JURISDICTION'S DIVERSION RATE AND THE BASE-YEAR
- 12 UPON WHICH THE RATE IS PREDICATED ARE NOT ACCURATE THE BOARD MAY DIRECT
- 13 THAT A COMPLIANCE HEARING BE SCHEDULED TO PLACE THE JURISDICTION ON A
- 14 COMPLIANCE ORDER."
- 15 CHAIRMAN EATON: WOULD YOU LIKE THAT REPEATED ONE MORE TIME,
- 16 PERHAPS, SO EVERYONE CAN KIND OF GET IT DOWN?
- 17 MR. BLOCK: LET ME JUST READ THE WHOLE SENTENCE AGAIN: "IF
- 18 BASED ON THE INFORMATION PROVIDED THE BOARD BELIEVES THAT THE
- 19 JURISDICTION'S DIVERSION RATE AND THE BASE-YEAR UPON WHICH THE RATE IS
- 20 PREDICATED ARE NOT ACCURATE THE BOARD MAY DIRECT THAT A COMPLIANCE
- 21 HEARING BE SCHEDULED TO PLACE THE JURISDICTION ON A COMPLIANCE ORDER."
- 22 CHAIRMAN EATON: AND IF IT WILL HELP YOU, MR. QUPPS, AND
- 23 OTHER INDIVIDUALS INCLUDING THE BOARD, WHAT WE WILL DO IS  $\neg$  AND WE HAVE
- 24 A COUPLE MORE ITEMS -- IF I CAN ASK THE STAFF TO GO UP AND INSERT THAT
- 25 INTO THE MOTION, AND THEN WE'LL HAVE THOSE AVAILABLE SO IF YOU DIDN'T
- 26 GET IT WRITTEN DOWN ACCURATELY YOU'LL AT LEAST HAVE THE COPY. IS THAT

- 1 OKAY? ABSOLUTELY.
- 2 SO, I BELIEVE THAT WE HAVE A MOTION BEFORE US THAT WAS
- 3 PROPOSED BY MR. JONES, AND I BELIEVE SECONDED BY MR. PENNINGTON. WE
- 4 HAVE THE CHANGES THAT WERE READ BY MR. BLOCK.
- 5 AND IF THERE'S NO FURTHER QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS, MADAM
- 6 SECRETARY, WILL YOU PLEASE CALL THE ROLL?
- 7 THE SECRETARY: BOARD MEMBERS JONES?
- 8 MEMBER JONES: AYE.
- 9 THE SECRETARY: PENNINGTON?
- 10 MEMBER PENNINGTON: AYE.
- 11 THE SECRETARY: ROBERTI?
- 12 MEMBER ROBERTI: AYE.
- 13 THE SECRETARY: CHAIRMAN EATON?
- 14 CHAIRMAN EATON: AYE.
- THE MOTION IS APPROVED.
- 16 AGENDA ITEM 5: CONSIDERATION OF STAFF RECOMMENDATION TO CORRECT
- 17 THE PROJECTED DIVERSION RATE FOR, AND ON THE ADEQUACY OF, THE PREVIOUSLY
- 18 CONDITIONALLY APPROVED SOURCE REDUCTION AND RECYCLING ELEMENT FOR THE
- 19 CITY OF PARAMOUNT, LOS ANGELES COUNTY
- 20 CHAIRMAN EATON: ALL RIGHT, ITEM NO. 5, CONSIDERATION OF
- 21 STAFF RECOMMENDATION TO CORRECT THE PROJECTED DIVERSION RATE FOR, AND ON
- 22 THE ADEQUACY OF, THE PREVIOUSLY CONDITIONALLY APPROVED SOUNCE REDUCTION
- 23 AND RECYCLING ELEMENT FOR THE CITY OF PARAMOUNT.
- 24 MR. SCHMIDLE: GOOD AFTERNOON CHAIRMAN EATON AND BOARD
- <del>25 members. i'm chris schmidle with the board's office of lod</del>al
- 26 ASSISTANCE, SOUTH SECTION. TODAY I'M PRESENTING ITEM NO. 5, WHICH

- 1 REQUESTS A CHANGE IN THE APPROVAL STATUS FOR THE FINAL SOURCE REDUCTION
- 2 AND RECYCLING ELEMENT FOR THE CITY OF PARAMOUNT FROM CONDITIONAL
- 3 APPROVAL TO FULL APPROVAL.
- 4 ON SEPTEMBER 21ST, 1994, THE BOARD VOTED TO
- 5 CONDITIONALLY APPROVE THE FINAL SOURCE REDUCTION AND RECYCLING ELEMENT
- 6 FOR THE CITY OF PARAMOUNT. THE BOARD'S ACTION WAS BASED ON THE FAILURE
- 7 OF THE CITY'S DIVERSION TONNAGE PROJECTIONS TO MEET 50% DIVERSION IN THE
- 8 YEAR 2000.
- 9 THE FAILURE OF THE CALCULATIONS WAS DUE TO BOARD
- 10 STAFF'S REMOVAL OF TONNAGE USED FOR ALTERNATIVE DAILY COVER. AT THE
- 11 TIME REGULATIONS DID NOT ALLOW MATERIALS USED AS ALTERNATIVE DAILY COVER
- 12 TO BE COUNTED AS DIVERSION. THE OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW
- 13 SUBSEQUENTLY APPROVED A REGULATION IN 1995 WHICH ALLOWS ALTERNATIVE
- 14 DAILY COVER TO BE COUNTED AS DIVERSION.
- 15 WITH THE RE-INCLUSION OF THE CITY'S ORIGINAL CLAIM FOR
- 16 PROJECTED ALTERNATIVE DAILY COVER THE CORRECTED DIVERSION HATE FOR 2000
- 17 IS INCREASED TO 48.5%, AN AMOUNT THAT MEETS THE BOARD'S STANDARD FOR
- 18 SUBSTANTIAL COMPLIANCE.
- 19 SINCE THIS WAS THE ONLY OUTSTANDING ISSUE IDENTIFIED
- 20 UNDER THE BOARD'S PREVIOUS CONDITIONAL APPROVE OF THE SOURCE REDUCTION
- 21 AND RECYCLING ELEMENT, STAFF RECOMMENDS THAT THE BOARD NOW APPROVE THE
- 22 ELEMENT AS SUBMITTED.
- I BELIEVE A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE CITY IS HERE TODAY
- 24 TO ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS YOU MAY HAVE ABOUT THEIR DIVERSION RATE OR
- 25 PROGRAMS.
- 26 THAT CONCLUDES MY PRESENTATION. DO YOU HAVE ANY

|  | 1 | QUESTIONS | FOR | STAFF? |
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- 2 CHAIRMAN EATON: ANY QUESTIONS OF STAFF OR FOR THE CITY?
- 3 MEMBER JONES: MR. CHAIRMAN?
- 4 CHAIRMAN EATON: MR. JONES.
- 5 MEMBER JONES: I'D LIKE TO MOVE ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION 1999-
- 6 147.
- 7 CHAIRMAN EATON: SECOND?
- 8 MEMBER PENNINGTON: I'LL SECOND IT.
- 9 CHAIRMAN EATON: MR. JONES MOVES, MR. PENNINGTON SECONDS,
- 10 THAT WE ADOPT RESOLUTION 1999-147.
- 11 WITHOUT OBJECTION WE'LL SUBSTITUTE THE PREVIOUS ROLL
- 12 CALL. HEARING NO OBJECTION, SO SHALL BE ORDERED.
- 13 AGENDA ITEM 8: CONSIDERATION OF STAFF RECOMMENDATION TO CHANGE
- 14 THE BASE-YEAR TO 1995 FOR THE PREVIOUSLY APPROVED SOURCE REDUCTION AND
- 15 RECYCLING ELEMENT FOR THE CITY OF WESTLAKE VILLAGE, LOS ANGELES COUNTY
- 16 THE FINAL ITEM OF THE DAY I BELIEVE IS ITEM NO. 8 --
- 17 MEMBER JONES: WE HAVE TWO OF THEM, CITY OF L.A. TOO.
- 18 CHAIRMAN EATON: I'M SORRY, ITEM NO. 8, CITY OF WESTLAKE
- 19 VILLAGE. YOU'RE CORRECT, MR. JONES. I'M DOING SO MANY OF THEM
- 20 TOGETHER, YOU KNOW.
- 21 MR. SCHMIDLE: MR. CHAIRMAN AND BOARD MEMBERS, ONCE AGAIN,
- 22 I'M CHRIS SCHMIDLE WITH THE BOARD'S OFFICE OF LOCAL ASSISTANCE, SOUTH
- 23 SECTION. AND TODAY I'M PRESENTING ITEM NO. 8, WHICH REQUESTS A CHANGE
- 24 IN THE BASE-YEAR FROM 1990 TO 1995 FOR THE CITY OF WESTLAKE VILLAGE.
- <del>25 IN MARCH, 1997, THE BOARD APPROVED METHOD</del>S FOR
- 26 JURISDICTIONS TO USE FOR IMPROVING THE ACCURACY OF THEIR BASE-YEAR

- 1 GENERATION TONNAGE DATA. ONE OF THE APPROVED METHODS ALLOWS THE USE OF
- 2 DATA FROM A BASE-YEAR OTHER THAN 1990.
- 3 THE CITY ADOPTED A NONEXCLUSIVE FRANCHISE SYSTEM IN
- 4 1992, AND HAS TRACKED DISPOSAL AND DIVERTED TONNAGE BY HAULERS AND
- 5 RECYCLERS FOR THE PAST FOUR YEARS. THEREFORE, THE CITY BELIEVES THAT
- 6 THE PROPOSED 1995 BASE-YEAR GENERATION DATA IS MORE ACCURATE THAN THE
- 7 ORIGINAL 1990 TONNAGE AMOUNT CURRENTLY APPROVED.
- 8 TO ESTIMATE THE WASTE GENERATION IN 1995 THE CITY USED
- 9 DISPOSAL DATA FROM THE DISPOSAL REPORTING SYSTEM, AND COLLECTED
- 10 INFORMATION FROM HAULERS AND RECYCLERS TO DOCUMENT THE DIVERSION
- 11 TONNAGE. THE 1995 DATA IS CONSIDERED TO BE MORE ACCURATE THAN THE 1990
- 12 DATA AND IS THE BEST AVAILABLE INFORMATION, ALTHOUGH SOME DIVERSION DATA
- 13 WAS NOT AVAILABLE TO THE CITY.
- 14 BOARD STAFF HAS DETERMINED THAT THE REQUEST HAS BEEN
- 15 ADEQUATELY DOCUMENTED. THEREFORE, STAFF RECOMMENDS THAT THE REQUEST TO
- 16 CHANGE THE CITY'S BASE-YEAR TO 1995 BE APPROVED.
- A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE CITY IS HERE TODAY TO ANSWER
- 18 ANY QUESTIONS YOU MAY HAVE.
- 19 AND THAT CONCLUDES MY PRESENTATION. DO YOU HAVE ANY
- 20 QUESTIONS FOR STAFF?
- 21 CHAIRMAN EATON: QUESTIONS OF STAFF, OR MR. POLACE (PHON)
- 22 FROM THE CITY OF WESTLAKE VILLAGE? NO?
- MEMBER ROBERTI: MOVE RESOLUTION 1999-193 --
- 24 CHAIRMAN EATON: SENATOR ROBERTI MOVES --
- 25 MEMBER ROBERTI: --- BE ADOPTED.
- 26 CHAIRMAN EATON: AND MR. JONES SECONDS?

| 1  | MEMBER JONES: YEAH. YOU BET YOU, YOU BET YOU.                            |
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| 2  | CHAIRMAN EATON: THAT RESOLUTION 1999-193 BE ALOPTED.                     |
| 3  | WITHOUT OBJECTION I'LL SUBSTITUTE THE PREVIOUS ROLL                      |
| 4  | CALL. HEARING NO OBJECTION, SO SHALL BE THE ORDER.                       |
| 5  | THANK YOU, JANINE.   |
| 6  | AGENDA ITEM 9: CONSIDERATION OF STAFF RECOMMENDATION TO CHANGE           |
| 7  | THE BASE-YEAR FROM 1990 TO 1995 FOR THE PREVIOUSLY APPROVED SOURCE       |
| 8  | REDUCTION AND RECYCLING ELEMENT FOR THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES, LOS ANGELES |
| 9  | COUNTY   |
| 10 | CHAIRMAN EATON: ITEM NO. 10, CITY OF LOS ANGELES 9,                      |
| 11 | GEES, MY GOD. ALL THESE NUMBERS, HUH?                                    |
| 12 | MR. SCHIAVO: ITEM NUMBER NINE RELATES TO A NEW WASTE                     |
| 13 | GENERATION STUDY FOR THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES. THEY EMBARKED UPON THIS    |
| 14 | METHODOLOGY BECAUSE OF THE VAST CHANGES THAT HAVE TAKEN PLACE IN THIS    |
| 15 | CITY SINCE 1990, CHANGES IN POPULATION MAKE-UP, INDUSTRIAL COMPLEX, ETC. |
| 16 | THE CITY MADE A COMPREHENSIVE STUDY OF DISPOSAL AND                      |
| 17 | DIVERSION INFORMATION. THEY FOUND THAT, THROUGH GATE SURVEYS AND         |
| 18 | ADDITIONAL SURVEYS WITHIN THE CITY, THAT THE DISPOSAL REPORTING SYSTEM   |
| 19 | SEEMED TO MATCH UP WITH THEIR SURVEY DATA, SO THEY FELT COMFORTABLE WITH |
| 20 | THAT END OF THE GENERATION STUDY.  |
| 21 | REGARDING THE DIVERSION DATA, THEY SURVEYED ALL THE                      |
| 22 | DIFFERENT PROGRAMS THAT WERE CITY-SPONSORED. IN ADDITION TO THAT, THEY   |
| 23 | SURVEYED ALL OF THE PRIVATE RECYCLERS IN THE JURISDICTION, THEY FOLLOWED |
| 24 | UP WITH THE LARGEST RECYCLERS AND TRIED TO VERIFY THE INFORMATION FROM   |
| 25 | THOSE.   |

IN ADDITION, THEY INCLUDED SOME C&D MATERIALS,

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- 1 CONSTRUCTION AND DEMOLITION MATERIALS, WITHIN THE CITY, AS WELL AS THEY
- 2 WERE VERY COGNIZANT OF SOME DISPOSAL DATA THAT WAS RELATED TO THE
- 3 NORTHRIDGE EARTHQUAKE THE PRIOR YEAR, THEY SUBTRACTED THAT OUT OF THE
- 4 CALCULATION.
- 5 STAFF FEELS VERY COMFORTABLE WITH THE APPROACH THAT
- 6 THEY TOOK AND THEIR METHOD FOR TRYING TO GET THROUGH A VERY COMPLEX
- 7 WASTE STREAM. STAFF RECOMMENDS APPROVAL OF THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES'
- 8 1995 GENERATION STUDY.
- 9 THAT CONCLUDES MY PRESENTATION.
- 10 CHAIRMAN EATON: ANY QUESTIONS OF STAFF OR MR. VELLA (PHON),
- 11 WHO'S IN THE AUDIENCE?
- 12 MEMBER ROBERTI: MOVE FOR ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION --
- 13 CHAIRMAN EATON: SENATOR ROBERTI MOVES --
- 14 MEMBER ROBERTI: -- 1999-76.
- 15 MEMBER PENNINGTON: SECOND.
- 16 CHAIRMAN EATON: -- MR. PENNINGTON SECONDS, THAT WE ADOPT --
- 17 MEMBER JONES: LOOK AT HER, SHE'S SMILING, SHE'S WORKED ON
- 18 THIS THING FOR LIKE FIVE YEARS.
- 19 CHAIRMAN EATON: -- RESOLUTION 1999-76.
- 20 WITHOUT OBJECTION, WE'LL SUBSTITUTE THE PREVIOUS ROLL
- 21 CALL. HEARING NO OBJECTION, SO SHALL BE ORDERED.
- 22 THANK YOU VERY MUCH. AND YOU SHOULD BE VERY HAPPY I
- 23 THINK WITH THE REPORTS THAT WERE DONE BY THE CITY OF L.A.
- 24 AGENDA ITEM NO. 6: CONSIDERATION OF STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS TO CORRECT THE
- <del>25 BASE YEAR FOR, AND ON THE ADEOUACY OF, THE PREVIOUSLY CONDI</del>TIONALLY
- 26 APPROVED SOURCE REDUCTION AND RECYCLING ELEMENT FOR THE CITY OF SOUTH EL

| 1 | MONTE, | LOS | ANGELES | COUNTY. |
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- 2 MR. SCHMIDLE: MR. CHAIRMAN?
- 3 CHAIRMAN EATON: I'M SORRY, MR. SCHMIDLE.
- 4 MR. SCHMIDLE: IF YOU'RE DONE WITH THAT ITEM? JUST AS A
- 5 POINT OF ORDER, AGENDA ITEM NO. 6 FOR SOUTH EL MONTE CONSISTED OF TWO
- 6 ACTIONS, ONE OF WHICH WAS THE BASE-YEAR FIX, WHICH I BELIEVE YOU COVERED
- 7 UNDER YOUR --
- 8 CHAIRMAN EATON: PREVIOUS MOTION?
- 9 MR. SCHMIDLE: -- PREVIOUS MOTION.
- 10 THERE IS A SECOND PART, WHERE THE CITY ASKED TO HAVE
- 11 ITS CONDITIONALLY-APPROVED SOURCE REDUCTION AND RECYCLING ELEMENT
- 12 UPGRADED TO FULL APPROVAL.
- 13 CHAIRMAN EATON: THAT'S ITEM NO. 6?
- MR. SCHMIDLE: ITEM NO. 6, SIR.
- 15 CHAIRMAN EATON: OKAY.
- 16 MEMBER JONES: AS A RESULT OF THIS NUMBER THEY RE UP TO
- 17 50.6, RIGHT?
- 18 MR. SCHMIDLE: THAT WOULD BE FOR THE PROJECTION TABLE.
- 19 MEMBER JONES: MR. CHAIRMAN, I WOULD MOVE FOR THE ADOPTION
- 20 OF --
- 21 MEMBER PENNINGTON: SECOND.
- 22 CHAIRMAN EATON: MEMBER JONES MOVED, SECONDED BY MEMBER
- 23 PENNINGTON FOR THE ADOPTION OF ITEM NO. 6, WHICH WAS THE SECOND PART OF
- 24 THAT ITEM WHICH WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE ORIGINAL MOTION DEALING WITH
- 25 BASE-YEAR ADJUSTMENTS.
- 26 WITHOUT OBJECTION, WE'LL SUBSTITUTE THE PREVIOUS ROLL

- 1 CALL. HEARING NO OBJECTIONS, SO SHALL --
- 2 MR. MOHAJER: THANK YOU MR. CHAIRMAN-- WITH THE AGENDA THAT
- 3 MR. JONES VERY NICELY MADE A REFERENCE TO, AND THAT WAS THE GRANT FOR
- 4 HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE PROGRAM, AND THE DIFFICULTY THAT AT LEAST L.A.
- 5 COUNTY HAD EXPERIENCED, AGAIN, FROM STANDPOINT THAT BECAUSE WE HAD THE
- 6 INFRASTRUCTURE FOR HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE PROGRAM IN PLACE CAUSED US
- 7 NOT TO QUALIFY FOR THE PROGRAM, BECAUSE WHAT OUR INTENTS WERE AT THAT
- 8 TIME, TO PROMOTE PARTICIPATION IN THE HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE
- 9 COLLECTION PROGRAM.
- 10 AND AS FOLLOW-UP AGAIN TO MR. JONES' DISQUSSION OF
- 11 LAST WEEK, ON THURSDAY -- YEAH, RIGHT, ON LAST THURSDAY, I WOULD
- 12 APPRECIATE THAT AS YOU CONSIDER CHANGING THE POLICY FOR DISTRIBUTION OF
- 13 THE GRANT MONEY FOR HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE PROGRAM, IF I WOULD BE ON
- 14 THE MAILING LIST AND COULD PARTICIPATE ON THAT. THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
- 15 MEMBER JONES: THANKS --
- 16 MR. MOHAJER: NO, NO, THAT'S A DIFFERENT ISSUE.
- 17 (THE PARTIES SIMULTANEOUSLY SPEAK.)
- 18 MEMBER JONES: MIKE, I'M ONLY KIDDING.
- 19 MR. MOHAJER: NO, BUT FOR -- ALSO I DO WANT YOU TO BELIEVE
- 20 THAT AT LEAST THE GOVERNMENT THAT I REPRESENT IN L.A. COUNTY, WE VERY
- 21 STRONGLY BELIEVE IN THE INTENT OF 939, AND WE FULLY SUPPORT AND WE WILL
- 22 DO OUR BEST AS FAR AS L.A. COUNTY UNINCORPORATED AREA IS CONCERNED TO
- 23 COMPLY WITH THAT. SO, BUT IT'S JUST THE TIMING THAT'S....
- 24 THANKS VERY MUCH.
- 25 MEMBER PENNINGTON: IT SEEMS TO ME THAT EVERY TIME WE REFER
- 26 TO THE L.A. FIX WE'RE TALKING ABOUT A MOVIE.

OKAY, GENTLEMEN. WELL, THAT BRINGS US TO THE END. I

THANK YOU FOR YOUR HARD WORK AND FOR YOUR WILLINGNESS TO PUT IN A LITTLE

4 BIT EXTRA. AND WE WILL STAND ADJOURNED, I BELIEVE, UNTIL MAY 27. THIS

CHAIRMAN EATON: YEAH, I THINK SO.

5 MEETING STANDS ADJOURNED.

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